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WASTING TIME.

The Legislature Transacts No Business.

House Wrangling over the Pawtucket Election Case.

[Special despatch to the News.]

PROVIDENCE, May 18.—The General Assembly had a hard time transacting business to day. The senate did not have a quorum, and the house had to again count one to start its session. There were eighteen senators present, but as nineteen make a quorum the senate adjourned without the transaction of business.

In the house Speaker Owen was again absent, and Mr. George T. Brown of Providence was elected Speaker pro tem.

An act to incorporate the Aquidneck Mutual Insurance Company of Newport was passed in concurrence.

From the senate was received a resolution appropriating $8,000 for the purchase of additional land for the state institutions at Cranston, and it was passed.

Mr. West introduced a resolution providing that each of the seven members of the committee on special legislation shall receive $50 for their attendance at the hearings regarding the nine-hour law. Dr. Garvin moved that the resolution be referred to the finance committee. The motion was defeated, and the resolution was passed by a vote of 26 to 12.

This vote revealed the presence of a quorum and Mr. Robinson at once called up the report of the committee on the Pawtucket contested election cases and the resolution declaring that Representative Wheaton Cole of Pawtucket was not legally elected and should be unseated. He moved that the original resolution be tabled, as it declares that Mr. Cole was illegally elected, while as a matter of fact he is a hold-over. He further moved that a substitute resolution be adopted, declaring that Mr. Cole is not legally entitled to a seat in the house of representatives, that he be unseated, and that Claude J. Farnsworth be seated in his stead.

Mr. Allen raised a point of order against the motion, and, upon his point being not sustained, appealed from the decision of the chair. The Republicans refrained from voting, and many of them left the building. Speaker Owen now arrived and secured a sufficient number of signatures to a request that the Speaker declare the doors locked. The doors were locked, but it was then found that there was not a quorum of members within the building. Mr. Allen made a long speech against the resolution, and Mr. Mulholland spoke in favor of its passage, and at 2:30 o'clock the members were still talking over the matter. It will be impossible to secure a quorum, and the house will adjourn without having accomplished anything.

Coke Strikers Attempt to Prevent Men from Working.

UNIONTOWN, Penn., May 18.—The coke strikers at the Kyle works made another attempt to prevent the men from going to work this morning. At daybreak they surrounded the houses of the men and held them prisoners. The officials, noticing their absence, sent deputies to inquire into the trouble, and the strikers were dispersed. One shot was fired, but no one was injured.

Rumored Defalcation in a New York Bank.

NEW YORK, May 18.—Superintendent Preston of the state banking department is detained here on account of a rumored defalcation in one of the banks under his supervision in this city.

WOULD NOT BE TOLERATED BY THE UNITED STATES.

Views of a Prominent New Zealander Regarding the Annexation of Samoa.

LONDON, May 18.—The Pall Mall Gazette today publishes an interview with Sir George Grey, formerly prime minister of New Zealand, on the Samoan question. After giving his views on the destrability of the annexation of the islands to New Zealand, Sir George expresses his opinion that the United States would not for a moment tolerate the interference of Germany in the triparite government of Samoa. Although the United States has not a single arsenal on its western coast, it is absolutely secure, but would not be if the Germans controlled Samoa. The mere frown of the United States was sufficient to prevent the German nominee from superceding King Malietoa. Sir George earnestly favors the protection of Samoa by New Zealand, not from any motives of ambition, but simply for the welfare of Samoa.

MURDER IN THE SECOND DEGREE.

Verdict of the Jury in the Dr. Meyer Case.

NEW YORK, May 18.—The jury in the case of Dr. R. C. F. Meyer, accused of the murder of Ludwig Brandt, to secure insurance money, brought in a verdict this morning of murder in the second degree, which carries a punishment of imprisonment for life. They retired last night at 9:10 o'clock, and announced the result of their deliberation to Recorder Smythe, before whom, in the court of general sessions, the trial has been in progress for three days, at 11:30 o'clock this forenoon. Meyer grew deadly pale as the verdict was announced. It is said that he expected either a disagreement or acquittal. At 3 o'clock last night the jury stood nine to three in favor of murder in the first degree. They fought the question till 6 o'clock this morning.

Mr. Brooke made the usual motion for a new trial, and the recorder said he would give the defense two weeks to file the papers. Meyer will not be sentenced till the motion is heard.

IDAHO COXEYITES.

Probability That They Will Aid the Striking Miners.

BOISE CITY, Idaho, May 18.—Over six hundred members of Coxey's army have arrived near Wallace, and it is said will join the union miners in expelling the non-union men from Coeur d'Alene. John A. Finch has received a list of twenty-five men now at work in his mine and mill whose immediate discharge was imperatively demanded. Finch was warned that in case these men continued work beyond the 17th of this month his mill would be blown to atoms. The present is deemed a good time to begin operations, as Coxeyites are causing trouble all over the state, which will divide the forces sent against them. United States troops are being massed on the dividing line between this state and Wyoming.

Chicago Fishermen in a Dangerous Position.

CHICAGO, May 18.—Nine fishermen are on the government pier in the lake here, about a mile from the shore, with the waves washing over them, and are in great danger of being drowned. Tugs have thus far been unable to rescue them. The men went out there to fish.

Supposed Incendiary Fire in Taunton.

TAUNTON, Mass., May 18.—The grocery store of M. I. Gammons & Co was completely gutted by fire about 6 o'clock this morning, the loss amounting to about $2,000, mostly on stock. The building was but slightly damaged, owing to the efficient work of the firemen. Incendiarism is suspected.

An interesting discussion has been raised by Richard Harding Davis's story of "The Exiles," published in the May Harper's Magazine, and afterwards in a volume of sketches to which it gave its title. The New York Times called attention to criticisms of the American consul which Mr. Davis placed in the mouths of American residents of Tangier, and remarked that if the accusations of complicity with gamblers and the sale of protection to wealthy Arabs upon whom the Sultan levies tribute were true, the information should be laid before the Department of State at Washington. The New York World scornfully called attention to the fact that such accusations were brought against a consul of the United States five years ago, resulting in his dismissal from the service by Mr. Blaine, and charged Mr. Davis with appropriating his information from the newspapers of that time. Mr. Davis himself said that his informants were American and other residents of Tangier, where the scandal is still a fruitful subject of gossip.

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IN NICARAGUA.

Chief Clarence Restored by the British.

Escape from Custody of the Murderer of Wilson.

NEW YORK, May 18.—A Bluefields, Nicaragua letter, under date of May 12, says: Much has happened here within the past twenty-four hours, and the community is consequently much excited, as well as being on the tip-toe of expectation for what is promised in the near future.

A recent letter gave an account of the unexpected visit of Robert Henry Clarence, the Mosquito chief, and his boast that he would soon be restored to his rights through the intervention of the British, and the assertion of British Consul Hatch that the treaty of Managua would be upheld by Great Britain at any cost. Not only has Clarence already realized his boast, but Aguilella, the murderer of William Wilson, has escaped from the little jail at Rama. Word reached here yesterday morning from the San Francisco, which was anchored off the bluffs, that Clarence would be brought back here today from Pearl Lagoon on board British man-of-war Magicienne and domiciled in Bluefields to stay; or, in other words, that he would be re-instated in his rights as chief of the Mosquitos by the English. This news created the wildest excitement here, and much rejoicing. The Americans were particularly happy, though they regretted that what they had been pleading for so strenuously should be done by the British instead of by the American government. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the Magicienne arrived, and immediately Captain Clark came ashore with Clarence and a few of his natives, and he was domiciled at his old home in the city.

I asked Captain Watson the meaning of this, but all he would say in reply to questions was: "You will be safe in saying he has come to stay." He added that every one should understand that England and the United States were not working against each other, but as Minister Baker had put it, "the white people have combined to meet the aspirations of the Latin race."

Last night the San Francisco departed for Greytown to take Consul Braida to his post of duty, leaving this place without an American official representative, though it is expected that Consul Seat will return shortly from the United States. It is understood that American interests are in the care of British representatives temporarily. The Newark has not arrived. The Nicaraguan troops have been withdrawn from the city of Bluefields and sent into the interior, with the exception of a few men, who are on the bluffs and are not numerous enough to create any trouble.

The next event to ruffle the serenity which has been the order of the day for some time past was the reported escape of Aguilla, the murderer of William Wilson, the American, from Rama on Wednesday last. Governor Ruelling, the new official at Rama, who supplanted Torres, immediately started on a hunt for him but was unable to head him off. Ruelling arrived here last night, and reports that Aguella is located in a dense jungle two miles from Rama, where it is almost impossible to get at him. From what can be learned the escape was planned and carried out by a number of Aguella's Spanish friends, indirectly through the instrumentality of a Spanish woman.

REPUBLICANS AND THE TARIFF BILL.

Senator Frye Unable to Persuade His Colleagues to Filibuster.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—In the Senate today the resolution providing for meetings at 10 o'clock daily was taken up, and agreed to without question or division. Immediately afterwards, however, a discussion was started by Mr. Sherman (Repn., Ohio), who was not in the chamber last night when it was offered and knew nothing of the circumstances.

In the course of the discussion Mr. Frye (Repn., Maine), expressed the opinion that it was the duty of the Republican side to defeat the tariff bill, and resort to any and all parliamentary methods of doing so. He had not been able, however, to persuade the Republican side that that was the true policy to pursue. On the contrary, it seemed to be the determination of the Republican side to permit the bill to come to a vote, after a fair consideration.

The discussion was closed with a frank notice to the Democratic side of the chamber by Mr. Chandler (Repn., N. H.), not to act upon the theory that it had been decided by the Republican members either that they would or that they would not filibuster against the passage of the bill.

The resolution was voted on a second time, and was agreed to; and then, at 12:15 o'clock, the consideration of the tariff bill was resumed.

RAN OVER A COW.

Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern Passenger Train Derailed.

MARIETTA, Ohio, May 18.—The Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern railway passenger train leaving this city at 10:55 o'clock last night ran over a cow at Belpre, twelve miles below here, and was derailed. The accident occurred on a high embankment, and the train rolled down the bank, six persons being severely injured. Hon. George J. Lund, representative of the American Security Company and treasurer-elect of this county, had his arm badly smashed, necessitating amputation, besides sustaining internal injuries which may prove fatal.

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PRESBYTERIAN GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Smith Heresy Appeal Under Consideration in Committee.

SARATOGA, N. Y., May 18.—The second day's session of the one hundred and sixth Presbyterian General Assembly opened at 9 o'clock this morning, with a half-hour of devotional exercises, after which the routine business of the assembly began. It was perfectly evident that the commissioners had not recovered from the surprising show of strength made by the Briggs party in the election of the moderator yesterday.

Moderator Mutchmore assumed his office promptly at 9:30 o'clock. He read the names of members of the leading committees, on "bills and overtures," "judicial business," "church polity," "theological seminaries," and the clerks quickly handed over to the chairmen the documents and papers relating to each. The committees then retired to their rooms and the assembly proceeded to business.

The Smith heresy appeal, with all the papers relating thereto, went into the judicial committee room, and the committee immediately engaged in digesting the matter. Henry Preserved Smith, the accused professor, is here. It is definitely known now that the appeal will not be withdrawn, but that Professor Smith will make a fight to have the verdict of the Cincinnati presbytery set aside. By this verdict he was suspended from the ministry, but he appealed from the finding of the presbytery, and the case went to the Ohio synod, which decided against him.

Dr. Smith's offense was the reading of a paper before a body of Cincinnati ministers, in which he made an elaborate defense of Dr. Briggs when the Union professor was first charged with heresy. He upheld Dr. Briggs's theory that the Old Testament was written by ordinary men, and that these writings were collected by other men long afterwards and made up into a book now known as the Bible. The names of none of these men are known, and it is an entire mistake to suppose that Moses wrote the first five books, or that Isaiah wrote his prophecy. This book is moreover full of errors, and the general opinion that God inspired the book is all wrong, as the concept only is inspired.

The General Assembly is made up of men who are likely to take the opposite view of the origin of the Bible, but the vote of yesterday shows so many Briggs men in the body that the leaders of the orthodox party are nervous.

Chairman John H. MacIntosh read the report of the special committee on the missionary publication, The Church at Home and Abroad, which showed a small surplus in the expense account of the year.

Dr. Joseph T. Smith read the special report on church unity. This is the committee which has been conducting negotiations with the Protestant Episcopal church and other denominations, looking to a reciprocity arrangement between all churches. Last year the house of bishops sent a committee headed by Bishop Cleveland Coxe of Western New York. The committee was received and proposed an amendment to the canon of the Episcopalian church, whereby all Presbyterian ministers could be recognized by the Episcopal bishops as standing on the same basis of apostolic succession with themselves. Nothing has been heard of this proposal since, and Dr. Smith's committee confined its recommendation to a confederation of all the churches in the United States having a Presbyterian form of government. These include the United Presbyterian church, the Dutch Reformed church, and others, eight in all. The committee recommended a large ecclesiastical assembly, made up of representatives of all these churches and exercising advisory powers over the field, but not interfering with the organic integrity of each. Dr. Samuel J. Nicolls of St. Louis read a dissent to the proposed ecclesiastical assembly or council.

Dr. Charles L. Thompson of New York read a report on "the co-operation of denominations in the home missionary fields." Recommendations of further consolidation of the missionary stations were considered, and Dr. Thompson spoke in support of them.

Schooner Ashore Near Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 18.—Schooner Cummings is ashore near here, and two seamen are reported drowned. The life saving crew's boat capsized in an attempt to get out. The Racine life saving crew has been sent for, to assist the Milwaukee crew.

$1,000 REWARD.

For original papers purporting to be a commitment, by a chief justice of Rhode Island, of "William H. King, a lunatic" to the McLean Asylum at Somerville, Mass., bearing date of July 31, 1866, which have been "abstracted" from the files of the supreme court of Newport, according to the statement made in court recently by William P. Sheffield, counsel for Geo. G. King, although there is no evidence on the records or files of said court that said papers ever existed.

Judging from what purports to be copies of said papers the signatures of the following persons are attached to the said original papers, viz:

William P. Sheffield, George G. King, Dr David King, Thos. S. Gilley, Thos. W. Wood, Robert Searle, } All of Newport.
Chas. S. Bradley, Phineas Fairbrother, Marshall Wood, L. L. Miller, } All of Providence.
N. Wilson, unknown residence, N. Wilson, unknown residence, Isaac Roy, Butler Insane Asylum, Samuel West, Tiverton.

A copy of said purported commitment was first offered in 1870 by Edward King, deceased of Newport, and another copy in 1876 by David King, lately deceased in Washington, D.C., but the two copies differ. Neither of these copies was examplified. Edward King's copy was refused by the courts and he had to resort to having a special act of legislature passed to effect a sale of William H. King's lands in a distant state.

Other means had to be resorted to to give title under David King's copy.

For these reasons the original papers, if any ever existed, are required.

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REGULAR DRAG NET.

Bribery Resolution Broadened and Passed.

Policy of Duress Inaugurated in the Senate

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The senate made short work of the Lodge investigating resolution by unanimously adopting it, after broadening it so to ascertain if any senators have been engaged in speculating in sugar certificates since the tariff bill has been under consideration, or whether any improper influences have been exerted to defeat or pass the tariff bill.

The resolution is very sweeping in its operations and is regarded as a regular dragnet. Butz, who it is alleged attempted to bribe Hunton and Kyle, is a harmless and inoffensive man who has been around Washington for years. He denies that he ever attempted to bribe either of the senators. He has several jobs before congress that he has been urging for years.

A Crisis.

From 12 o'clock until 4:30 the tariff debate dragged along, Mr. Gallinger holding the floor for two hours and Mr. Higgins for 2 1-2 hours. Then after an hour and a half's work, during which time only 15 more paragraphs of the chemical schedule, comprising two pages of the bill, were disposed of, the Democrats concluded to change their tactics.

At 6 o'clock Mr. Harris made a motion intended to continue the legislative day and force the consideration of the tariff bill to the exclusion of all other legislative business. This meant the inauguration of the policy of duress that made famous the struggle over the federal elections bill, the bill to repeal the Sherman law and all other big legislative contests in the senate.

Resistance Was Useless.

The Republicans, under the leadership of Mr. Manderson, resisted vainly, protesting that they did not seek to delay action on the tariff bill. They used usual filibustering methods, breaking a quorum by refusing to vote, although certain of their western colleagues declined to join in the filibuster.

Mr. Mandersson moved to adjourn. The motion was lost, 12 to 39.

At about 8:15 the lights were turned on and shed a blaze of effulgency upon the chamber. The senators sat listlessly in their seats reading the evening papers or chatting in groups.

One by one they slipped down to the restaurant to snatch a hurried dinner in lieu of the regular meal that had been denied them.

At 7:30 p. m. Mr. Aldrich inquired of Mr. Faulkner, then in the chair, if the sergeant-at-arms had yet made a report. Upon receiving a negative response the Rhode Island senator moved an adjournment.

"Upon which I demand the yeas and nays," said Mr. Harris, emphatically.

The motion was defeated—yeas, 11; nays, 29; three less than a quorum.

Prepared For a Siege.

Both sides by this time had evidently concluded to "sit it out." They prepared for a siege. They smoke in the cloakrooms and chatted on the floor. The scene recalled the long struggle on the silver bill last summer.

Mr. Pugh (Dem., Ala.) and Mr. Squire (Rep., Wash.) made their appearance about 7:30, and were the first fruits of the sergeant-at-arms' prowess.

About 8 o'clock Mr. Chandler disturbed the serenity of things by inquiring whether he could proceed with some remarks he desired to make on the pending bill.

Mr. Faulkner, in the chair, ruled that no remarks were in order pending the absence of a quorum.

At 8:20 Sergeant-at-Arms Bright submitted his report, which showed that of the absentees on the rollcall 10 senators were absent from the city, 22 could not be found, one, Mr. Morrill (Rep.), had declined to attend, and 19 were either present now or had reported that they would immediately respond to the request.

This did not satisfy Mr. Harris. He was in favor of adopting more heroic measures. He moved to compel the attendance of the absentees.

Long Session Ended.

At 10:45, after sitting for 11 1-2 hours, and after some very sharp and plain talk on both sides the Republicans succeeded in forcing an adjournment, although the battle was in reality a drawn one. A compromise had been practically agreed upon before adjournment, by which the sessions of the senate are to begin at 10 o'clock after Monday.

Senators on both sides of the chamber regard the work of last evening as the real beginning of the siege of night sessions and rollcalls, a test of physical endurance on one side and of resistance on the other, which all have understood from the beginning would be resorted to before the end of the tariff debate should be reached.

The Republicans generally assert that they will resist unusual hours or extraordinary proceedings, and the Democrats say that it has become evident from the long speeches recently made that unless the hours are extended the disposal of the bill will be indefinitely delayed.

What the House Did.

A filibuster on a question of limiting debating on an amendment consumed about two hours in the house. The most important amendment adopted was to restore the appropriation for investigating the production of textile fibers, and $800 having already been appropriated by an amendment adopted on Wednesday to continue the investigations into the production of flax and hemp in Washington, the sum of $12,000 was added yesterday for introducing the Chinese "ramie," so that the total appropriation for the study of textile fibers is brought up to $50,000, as in the bill for the current year. Considerable discussion followed, the reading of the paragraph relating to the question of irrigation, but no change was made. The bill, as amended, was favorably reported to the house and passed.

Georgia Populists' Platform.

ATLANTA, May 18.—The Populists put out a state ticket with James K. Hines for governor. The platform endorses the principles of government promulgated and expounded by Thomas Jefferson, who, at the beginning of our political history, combatted the schemes of the eastern money power (as outlined by Alexander Hamilton), and who predicted the ruin which would fall upon this country when concentrated wealth should dictate its legislation. An unqualified endorsement of the national platform of the Peoples' party is renewed.

His Fate In the Balance.

NEW YORK, May 18.—Recorder Smythe charged the Meyer jury last night, and at 9 o'clock they retired. Soon afterward they sent for the statutes bearing on the degrees of murder, but the recorder refused to comply with their request. At 12:10 the jury returned to the courtroom and stated that they wanted to look at the expert's evidence. This was read to them. At 2 a. m. the judge ordered them locked up for the night and the courtroom cleared.

Foreign Power as Mediator.

LONDON, May 18. An official of the Brazilian legation, referring to the rupture of diplomatic relations between Brazil and Portugal, said that he expected that the trouble between Brazil and Portugal would soon be ended by the mediation of a foreign power, probably Great Britain.

Duke and Princess to Wed.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 18.—It is reported in official circles that the Grand Duke Paul, the youngest brother of the czar, will shortly be betrothed to Princess Maud, the youngest daughter of the Prince of Wales.

Out of Coal.

MONTREAL, May 18.—All the Grand Trunk railway shops over the entire system closed down today. The service will be reduced to the very lowest number of trains, owing to the scarcity of coal.

Guarding Against Smallpox.

MONTREAL, May 18.—Mayor Villeneuve is to issue a proclamation ordering compulsory vaccination of all citizens and strangers entering from the United States.

An Infant's Sad Fate.

BOSTON, May 18.—Albert Bowie, aged 2 1-2 years, living at East Boston, died last night from the effects of upsetting a kettle of water over himself.

Over Two Inches of Rain.

MILES CITY, Mon., May 18.—The worst rainstorm in many years has visited this place. Over two inches of rain fell. All streams are rising rapidly.

Set-Back For Ex-Rulers.

BELGRADE, May 18.—The court of cassation has pronounced null and void a ukase reinstating Milan and Nathalie to regal rights.

Ranouille Acquitted.

BORDEAUX, May 18.—Ranouille, quartermaster of the steamer Equateur, who was charged with having caused an explosion on that vessel in order to remove traces of robbery, was acquitted.

Silk Weavers Return to Work.

PHILLIPSBURG, N. J., May 18.—The weavers' strike at the Standard silk mills, which has been in progress four months, has been declared off. Most of the operatives will be re-employed.

Railway Shops Shut Down.

MONTREAL, May 18.—Owing to a coal famine the Grand Trunk railway shops over the entire system closed down today. The service will be reduced to the very lowest number of trains.

Forged Express Orders.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., May 18.—A number of Wells-Fargo & Co. orders sent to Middletown, Goshen and Port Jervis are found to be forgeries. All were issued from Chicago.

"Paul Revere" in Canada.

KINGSTON, Ont., May 18.—Paul Revere and his wife arrived here yesterday. In March they left New York for a trip around the world, to be accomplished within a year.

Railway Wreck In Connecticut.

WATERBURY, Conn., May 18.—A double freight on the New York and New England railroad was wrecked a mile east of Waterbury last night. Fifteen cars were derailed.

A RAILROAD WAR

Results in a Pitched Battle Between Employes of Rival Roads.

MILLVILLE, N. J., May 18.—The South Jersey railroad yesterday succeeded in laying its tracks at the Woodbine crossing. It effected this move by crossing the tracks of its rival, the West Jersey road, notwithstanding the injunction issued by the supreme court.

At midnight the South Jersey company brought a big gang of laborers down to the crossing. The West Jersey watchman, who slept in the security of the injunction, was seized, bound and gagged, and the crossing quickly effected. Supervisor-in-Chief Chenowith of the West Jersey road ordered his men to tear up the South Jersey's tracks when he arrived at the spot. The gangs of the rival roads were lined.

Words followed, and then blows, and then all hands pitched in with spades and picks, while a number drew their knives. The battle waged was fierce and determined, the South Jersey men being finally routed and put to flight. Eleven men were found to have been badly injured, among them Superintendent Lutz of the South Jersey road.

Justice Cheeseman and a force of deputy sheriffs arrived on the scene later, armed with warrants for the arrest of the South Jersey officials for provoking a riot and disobeying the mandates of the courts. Supervisors Stubbs and Chenowith were arrested, but the others made their escape on the train which brought them. The justice held court in a freight car and held both prisoners in $500 bail, which was furnished.

SETTLEMENT IMPOSSIBLE.

Miners' Union Handicapped by the Action of Certain Operators.

CLEVELAND, May 18.—At yesterday afternoon's session of the miners' convention President McBride of the Miners' union asked the operators and spectators to retire in order that the miners might hold a conference. This was done, and a meeting lasting an hour was held.

At its conclusion President McBride offered a resolution reciting that whereas a large number of operators who had refused to attend the conference had refused the hand of peace which had been extended to them, the miners believed that any settlement arrived at in the absence of those operators would only add to and accentuate the miserable condition of the miners, and that it was impossible to make any settlement with the operators who had met them here.

While appreciating the efforts of the operators who had attended the conference to reach a settlement, the miners asked their co-operation in bringing peaceable pressure to bear upon the operators to induce them to agree to terms with the miners.

These resolutions were offered to the conference as expressing the views of the miners and the conference then adjourned sine die.

Won't Need the Trousseau.

NEW YORK, May 18.—The Herald says it is stated on good authority that the engagement between Miss Anna Gould, daughter of the late Jay Gould, and William M. Harriman, has been broken by mutual consent. Miss Gould is at present in Paris, where she went some time ago for the purpose of purchasing her bridal trousseau, it is said.

DEATH IN ITS WAKE.

Cyclone of Awful Power Sweeps Over the Town of Kunkle, O.

KUNKLE, O., May 18.—Five persons dead, two fatally injured and several more or less seriously injured and the destruction of much property is the record left by a cyclone which visited this place last evening.

The dead are: Daniel Barrett, Mrs. Daniel Barrett, Martha Dase, George Oxinger, Myrta Dase.

Hurt: C. Cole, internally; Mrs. Charles Cole, head crushed, will die; Jennie Creek, head crushed, will recover.

The scene of the cyclone is a hard one to describe. Houses, trees and obstructions of all kinds in the path of the storm have been carried away, and nothing left to mark the spot where they stood except huge holes in the ground.

The strip devastated is about half a mile wide and six miles in length. The greatest damage was done about half a mile from where it rose and passed on east.

The building in which were Daniel Barrett, his wife and their two granddaughters, Myrta and Martha Dase, is so completely demolished that not even a portion of the foundation is left. The first remnants of the house are at least 100 yards from where it stood.

Blown to Pieces.

Mrs. Barrett, who was the worst mangled, was carried over a quarter of a mile and dropped in a cemetery, her dismembered limbs being found about 100 yards farther on. There was very little left of the woman's body that resembled the form of a human being. Her breast and abdomen were rent in two, and her entrails, lungs and other internal organs scattered broadcast through a 45-acre field.

Daniel Barrett was carried about 40 rods from where the cyclone struck him. His hand was torn off at the wrist and scattered to the winds, one leg was beaten into a pulp and he suffered internal injuries.

Martha and Myrta Dase, who were in another part of the house, were left near where the house seems to have gone to pieces. Martha, the eldest, aged 14, was apparently injured only about the head, which was crushed in on the left side. Mingled with blood, the younger, aged 10, lay almost in the arms of her sister. She died at 10 o'clock last evening.

George Oxinger's Terrible Death.

George Oxinger, a hired hand of Barrett's, who was in the field plowing, saw the storm coming and made for the barn. He succeeded in getting his horses inside and started for the house, which was 10 rods distant from the barn and exactly in line with the storm. Witnesses say that the man was lifted from the ground and whirled into the air at least 100 feet, and, together with timbers, teams and other debris, scooped up in the rolling avalanche.

Oxinger's lifeless body was found about 100 yards from where it was lifted into the air. His bones protruded from the flesh, and his body indicates that he came in contact with many of the flying trees and beams.

James Whittle, another farmhand in the employ of Barrett, had a most miraculous escape. He was in the field with a team in company with Oxinger and started for the barn. His team became unmanageable and broke away from him, and to that fact he probably owes his life.

"B" is In the Way.

PHILADELPHIA, May 18.—J. S. Coxey arrived in this city yesterday and registered at the Bellevue, the swellest hotel in town. He expressed himself as satisfied with the work he had done, and said he had 1,000,000 men for his army if he could only get them to Washington.

A Hint to Canada.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—There is a prospect of favorable action by the house foreign affairs committee on the bill for commercial retaliation against Canada. The subcommittee having the bill in charge reported it favorably to the full committee yesterday.

Menaced by Striking Miners.

DES MOINES, May 18.—Striking miners of Beacon have started to Evans Station where the Rock Island railroad gets most of its coal for this division, intending to stop all work in the Evans mine. Railroad officials have applied to the sheriff for protection.

Back to Montevideo.

MONTEVIDEO, May 18.—Admiral da Gama has returned to this city. He had boarded the steamship Iberia for Lisbon when he was handed a cablegram from Senhor Ruy Barbosa, saying that it would be useless for him to proceed to Lisbon.

Dynamite Used For Revenge.

MEADOW LAKE, Minn., May 18.—A large cold storage building here was wrecked by dynamite, and an attempt made to fire a similar building. The trouble is attributed to local opposition to the sale of liquor.

Newfoundland's Muddle.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., May 18.—Governor O'Brien has been forced to withdraw the proclamation for a by-election in St. John's east, owing to the informality of the judgment against ex-Receiver General Fox.

Victory For Petroleum Shippers.

CAIRO, May 18.—The court of appeals has confirmed the decision authorizing the Suez canal to permit the passage through the canal of vessels carrying petroleum in bulk.

For an Eight-Hour Day.

BERLIN, May 18.—The Miners' International congress adopted a resolution advocating a general eight hours of labor a day for all countries represented at the congress.

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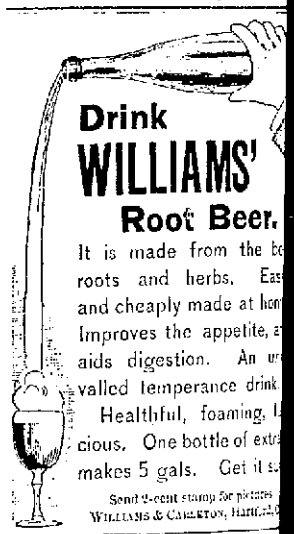

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BASEBALL.

Tomorrow the Rogers High School base ball team will play the Fall River High School nine in the Border City. On Wednesday, in the interscholastic series, the Friends' School nine defeated the Pawtuckets, 16 to 9. The game between Providence and New Bedford was postponed, as the former club was unable to go to the Whaling City. This is the first break in the schedule on account of the difficulty of a club in getting away on a Wednesday. Last Saturday was allowed to go by without a game, Fall River being scheduled for two games, one at home and the other at Providence.

Tomorrow the Woodbines will play at Wickford in the state league series. But for the very clever playing of Kain for the Wickford team last Saturday, that club would not have been in the game with the J. F. Russells and unless the team is farther strengthened its chance of making a good showing in the league seems small.

It was expected that the Lonsdales, who, like the Newports, were not wanted in the state league, would open the season with the Newports on Saturday on Morton Park, but nothing has been heard from the club, so the Newports' season will not then open.

The Coxey Army team has secured a new and energetic pitcher, and is looking for another game with the Rogers High School team.

The Harvards will play the Browns at Providence tomorrow.

The Aquidnecks will play their postponed game with the Fort Adams team tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

ENTERTAINMENT AT THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Last evening the Young People's Society of the First Baptist Church gave an entertainment and strawberry festival in the vestry on Spring street, at which there was a good-sized attendance. The affair was managed by a committee consisting of Mrs. Marshall, Miss Gertrude Stevens, Miss Amelia Tanner, Mr. Thomas Tanner and Mr. Frank Kimball, chairman. The musical and literary part of the program was as follows: Piano solo, Miss Atkleton; vocal solo, by Mr. Rankin; recitation, "The Last Hymn," by Miss Jennie Easton; solo, "In Silence Still Calm," by Miss Buchanan; reading, "The College Oil Can," by Mr. Rankin; solo, "By the Blue Sea," by Miss Bailey; reading, "The Borrowed Umbrell," by Miss DeSilas; duet, "I Would that my Love," Miss Buchanan and Bailey; piano solo, "When You and I were Young," Miss Carley.

After the program was completed Mr. Kimball announced that strawberries and ice cream would be served to all who desired, at a small cost. A large number so desired, and kept the young women who had charge of the tables busy attending to their wants. A very satisfactory amount was netted for the society.

NEW UNIFORM FOR THE ENLISTED MEN OF THE NAVY.

The new uniform for the enlisted men of the United States navy promises to be something quite different from that now worn by the boys in blue. The board which has been investigating this subject of apparel has not yet submitted its conclusions. It has been decided, however, that a frock coat, of the same cut that petty officers of European navies wear, is the proper thing for petty officers of the United States navy. These officers now wear double breasted sack coats. Another change that will be recommended is the substitution of white duck suits, trimmed with blue stripes on collar and cuffs, for the plain white drill suits now in use. It will be recommended that russet shoes be worn with the white uniform. For every-day working suits, brown or blue dungarees have been suggested as most suitable. It is the intention of the Navy Department to promulgate the order January 1, 1895, and to have the entire enlisted force of the navy uniformed by July 1.

MRS. J. C. GREEN'S ESTATE.

Sarah Helen Green, widow of John C. Green and sister of John N. A. Griswold, in 1888 executed a deed of trust to Frederick Frelinghuysen of Newark, N. J., under the provisions of which she transferred to him railroad bonds of the value of $205,000, as trustee. The trustee paid to Mrs. Green the income of the trust up to the time of her death, on May 29, 1893, and petitioned the New York supreme court to have his accounts examined into, in order that the further conditions of the trust might be carried out, and the trust estate distributed in accordance with the provisions of the deed. The court appointed William H. Wills referee, to examine the trustee's accounts. He finds that the value of the securities is now $245,950, and the total amount of interest is $11,385. He finds the accounts to be correct, and the trustee to be entitled to a commission of $2,305.50. He has recommended a division of the trust fund among three nieces, as follows: $82,316.67 each to Mrs. Frelinghuysen and Mr. Davis, and $81,816.66 to Mrs. Gray. The share of the latter is to be held in trust for her during her life, she to receive the income. Justice Barrett in supreme court chambers has confirmed the report of the referee and directed the distribution to be made in accordance with its provisions.

MAY MERRY-MAKING.

Mr. Ruskin has always had a great personal interest in Whitelands College. He has given away each year forty volumes of his books, several of these go to the newly-chosen May queen for the year, the others to such candidates as may be selected by the governors from among the girls for various good moral and social qualities. The May queen presents the books herself on behalf of Mr. Ruskin. All these forty volumes are bound with that lavish sumptuousness of purse and gold which is one of the author's pet whims. "Never to brother, friend's brother, friend, sweetheart or any one else had your Ruskin," urged the principal in his letter, and I said in my heart, "I should forgive," as I enviously suspected those beautiful books.

Before the books, Mr. Ruskin every year presents an elaborate Etruscan gold cross and chain to the May queen, who, by the rules, is chosen by ballot of her fellow-students. Until the very day of the crowning even the teachers have no idea on whom the choice for the coming year will fall. It falls on the girls' favorite, and it is no small compliment to be first in the hearts of a school of about one hundred and fifty young ladies. The dress is a gift from the students. Each one contributes a little, and the dress of silk, variously embroidered and decorated from an original design by Kate Greenaway, is made ready, subject to alteration, to make it fit at the eleventh hour, at the hands of the dressmaker in attendance for the day.

First of all, at 9 o'clock, the services of the day began in the chapel of the college. This service was choral. The students in white nun's veiling robes, and natural flowers as garniture, assembled, with the outgoing queen at their head, arrayed in last year's queen robes and crowned with ivy leaves. After service, the queen, attended by her maids of honor, and followed by the students with their principal leading the procession, marched about the college grounds singing an appropriate anthem. Despite the lawns with crocus and tulip and hyacinth and other green things "all-a-growin' and a-blowin'," the poor girls looked cold in their summery robes and bared heads as they slowly paraded in the chill spring air. But at last the sun came gloriously forth and the whole face of nature changed, as did the faces of those sweet young girls.

The next stage of the proceedings was in the college reception hall. After a little music there was a speech by the president. He announced that the Baroness Burdett-Coutts, an old friend of the college, would clasp Mr. Ruskin's valuable gift about the neck of the new queen for the year, whoever she might be. After this the voting papers were distributed and after being filled out we had an exquisite May-pole dance while the ballot was counted. The dancers sang an old May-pole song, very early English and very graceful. In and out the green and rose ribbons were plaited and unplaited, and never a false twist in the strands. Then there were minuets, composed by the teachers and carried out delightfully.

At last, after more music and dancing in the flower-garlanded hall, the successful candidate was announced, in the person of Emma Hand, a slender, graceful young lady, with a gentle, amiable face and bearing. A few minutes sufficed in which to dress her in her regal robes, the last year's queen, a Miss Prior, having abdicated and donned the crown of forget-me-nots of the queen dowager. Then came a little stir and bustle, and lo! the queen entered, and overwhelmed by bowing attendants walking under an arch and canopy of flowers, ascended the throne, and was duly crowned with May blossoms, or hawthorn blooms, as you will.

The good baroness by this time was seated, a delighted spectator of the pretty proceedings. In due course she clasped the cross and chain about the girl queen's neck, speaking some gentle words to her and kissing her cheek in a courtly fashion, which somehow had a deal of motherliness of caress, from that noble childless English gentlewoman. Then the baroness spoke graciously to the school. She hoped the day would ever be a memorable one to them all "The cross," she said, "is a token of the interest in and regard felt for them by Mr. Ruskin, and to win it is a proof of the affection of the fellow-students of the queen." The baroness concluded by hoping the wearer would "find it one of the greatest pleasures in the future to bring to other minds and homes some of the lessons of love and gentleness taught in Ruskin's works."—[Boston Sunday Herald, May 26.

A TRICK OF THE NECK.

All sorts of fussiness for collars are on view. The general demand for width has tended to increase horizontally the cross over piece of the average bow, till the popular bow has, as it were, been divided up into a sort of Siamese form of itself. The cross piece is arbitrarily widened till its "width" becomes its "length," and until such length takes up the entire front of a woman's collar from side to side, and where it creases the loops thus separated extend jauntily just a little in front of the point of a woman's neck that is under her ears. Now, there is a little trick here; for the girl with too slender a neck these loops will be pushed as far around as possible, till, perhaps, they begin only a little back of the point under the ears. Thus is the apparent size of her neck increased. For the girl with

rather a thick, short neck, the cross piece of the bow will be stopped well in front of the ears, and by such means the round of the neck suggestively finish thereabouts. At the same time the height of the cross piece will be as great as the collar allows, and the bows at their joining with the cross piece will be pinched well down against the collar-bone, where the collar-bone ought to be.

The capes of the past winter were so many and so varied in form that it seemed as if the entire field of possibility in shape and cut had been covered. But here in this picture is shown, as part of a brand-new costume, a novelty in a cape. The dress itself is one of the prettily figured novelty goods, fastening at the sides, and the fullness in the back is laid in three large pleats. In front it is simply draped and has balloon sleeves, which are tight at the wrists. The cape is pleated at the shoulders and has a round yoke initiated by Guipure lace, which also further trims it.

Wickford trap fishermen are making unusual preparations for this season's fishing, the Lewis brothers alone having set fourteen traps, which extend from Quonset point down the west passage to a point off Fox Hill, near Dutch Island. One or two schools of menhaden have lately been seen in the west passage. This is some two weeks earlier than they are accustomed to put in an appearance, but owing to the northerly winds which have prevailed for the past few days other varieties of fish have been uncommonly scarce for this season of the year.

The Fall River Herald says: "A sister of Daniel D. Sullivan, who is now confined in the Rhode Island state prison on a life sentence for murder, is endeavoring to raise a subscription fund for the purpose of obtaining a new trial for Dan. It will require considerable influence to have the case re-opened, but strong friends are said to have enlisted in the cause, and expect to bring about the desired result."

CHECKMATED.

My Ladye spente a golden houre
Last night te wi h me atte Chesse;
And only those who know her power
To dire result can guess e
Ye little hand, like leaf of ferne,
Can so dire destruction work;
Ine those deare eyes a magic lies—
A mighte untolde doth lurke:

My Ladye loves ye game of Chesse,
Ye hotte contested fielde:
Yette smileth less when harde they presse
Then when my cohorts yielde
Ah, if I dared to presse my suit,
Woulde she bee cold and grave,
Or woulde she smile in sweetness mute?
Ye answer I doe crave.

My bishop good my love shall pleade;
My knyghte tide on her queste;
My pawn shall hide her slightest needs;
My castle guarde her rest;
My King, whome erst she did dethrone,
Shall bow a willinge knee;
My Queene—nay, one is Queene alone—
She playes atte Chesse with me!

—[Ernest N. Bagg, in Godey's Magazine.

FANCIES.

Some explain the dreadful spasm for women's suffrage in New York on the ground that it's a perfect fit.—[Philadelphia Times.

He—Woman is most beautiful between the ages of thirty and forty.

She—Thank—I mean, do you really think so?—[Truth.

"Do you allow Charles to kiss you when you are not engaged to him?"

"It isn't an allowance. He calls it a perquisite."—[Raymond's.

Algy—I was neahly run ovah by a cable-car this afternoon.

Cholly—That was an exciting experience! Algy—Exciting? I neahly dwopped me English accent!—[Puck.

"Before you were married you were full of theories about managing a wife. How did they turn out, McBride?"

"It is a condition and not a theory which confronts me now."—[Judge.

Giles—Did he tell you he couldn't speak French?

Merritt—No.

Giles—Then, how did you know?

Merritt—He spoke some.—[Life.

Barber (insinuatingly)—Have a little oil on your hair, sir? Sea foam, shampoo, whiskers dyed?

O'Haggarty—Oi want nawthin' but soilence, sor, an' dom little av thot!—[Truth.

She—Yes, Carrie evidently thinks Harry is superior to all mankind. She is forever talking about him. She lauds him to the sky.

He—That is to say, she sets her bean of promise in the heavens.—[Boston Transcript.

"I have no patience with you, John; you are utterly unreasonable about it. Women should have the same privileges as men everywhere. I don't think it's very polite of you, either, to sit there with your hat on while I'm talking to you standing up."

"You are enjoying a man's privilege, my dear!"—[Harper's Bazar.

PERSONALS.

....The Maharajah of Cuch Behar and his son, the Rajkumar, have just arrived in England. The latter will be a student at Eton.

....Cyprian Clay, a nephew of Henry Clay, manages to make a precarious livelihood by peddling "notions" in San Diego, Cal.

....Dr. Cyrus Teed of Chicago, the founder of the strange religion known as Koresh, is soon to buy a plot of land in Florida, thirty-six miles square. This will constitute the "Heaven" of the Koreshens; and in its centre he will build a temple, to cost $300,000,000. One enthusiast has already promised a subscription of $100.

....Pay Inspector Albert D. Beche, U. S. N., will retire from active service next Wednesday. He was one of Farragut's favorites in the pay corps during the war, and was highly complimented by the admiral in an official report to the Secretary of the Navy in 1863 for meritorious service performed during the passage of the Union fleet up the Mississippi.

....One of the most noted travelers in Germany is Princess Therese, the only daughter of the Bavarian regent. She is a woman of scientific attainments, and owes her election to the Bavarian Academy of Sciences to the books which she has published concerning her journeys. A few weeks ago the princess consented to exhibit in the old court house of Munich the valuable collections which she has made in her travels. They have naturally attracted widespread attention.

....Ex-Empress Eugénie has been engaged on her memoirs for many years. As soon as a page is written it is placed under lock and key, and not even her most intimate friends ever see it. The work is not to be published until twenty-five years after her death. The ex-Empress uses in writing a penholder which is ornamented with diamonds. It was used by the fourteen representatives in signing the treaty of the peace of Paris in 1856, and was given to the ex-Empress as a memento.

WEARING RINGS.

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But in the wearing of rings, as in every other detail of dress, taste must incline to moderation, and this is a matter in which English women are grievous sinners. It is the commonest sight to see hands disfigured by rings worn in such numbers as to cover the joint of the fourth finger and prevent it bending. All sorts of rings are placed one on top of the other; heavy men's rings with stones imbedded in thick bands of gold, utterly unfitted to the delicate lines of a woman's hand; cluster rings, single stone rings, are all put on until the finger looks like one of those sticks one sees in jewellers' windows for the display of rings.

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Boston,	....	....	1 00	10 03	3 00
Providence,	....	6 40	8 15	11 13	5 00
Newport, arr,	8 35	8 35	3 55	1 00	7 00
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FRIDAY MAY 18, 1894

A PUBLIC SCANDAL.

The dignity of the Senate is imperilled. Some of its members are charged with conspiracy with trusts and private individuals for the preparation and passage of bills that shall serve their especial interests, and others are held up to the country as filibusters and legislative guerillas. Between the two accusations there is slight difference, so far as moral turpitude is concerned, for in each case the public good is made second to partisan and personal interests.

Such being the case, the Senators have taken alarm and are proceeding to a formal inquiry as to the things complained of, so far as bribery and conspiracy are concerned, but the equally reprehensible filibustering in the interests of other trusts is to be overlooked, though it is pretty certain that the people will pass upon that at a future day.

It is well, under the circumstances, that an investigation is to be held. One of the first things to be looked into is the attempt of outsiders to purchase Senatorial votes, to be cast against the pending tariff bill. We quote from a Washington special:

"Bribery of two members of the United States Senate has been attempted. An authoritative announcement of the sensational fact was made today. The Senators approached were Hunton of Virginia and Kyle of South Dakota. The object of this proposed purchase of votes was the defeat of the pending tariff bill. Ever since the tariff fight began in the Senate there have been vague rumors floating around the Capitol corridors and committee rooms, to the effect that the protected interests proposed to spend hundreds of thousands of dollars, and millions if necessary, to prevent the passage of the tariff bill, with its income tax amendment. Suspicion has rested upon more than one Democratic Senator, although it has been almost impossible to find any direct and convincing proofs of their yielding to temptation in this particular.

"Today for the first time Senator Hunton of Virginia informed some of his Senatorial colleagues that a man coming from South Dakota had offered to pay $25,000 for his vote against the tariff bill. The briber, who is remembered in South Carolina as a member of the carpet-bag government prior to 1876, has for a number of years past resided in Dakota. Since the tariff fight began in the Senate he has been in Washington frequently, and has shown a keen interest in the fate of the pending bill. He claims that he represents certain business interests in New York, and that $1,000,000, if necessary, will be expended by these interests to prevent the passage of the tariff bill."

The other Senator known to have been approached is Mr. Kyle. The same man who had tempted Hunton stated in this case, as before, that he "represented a business syndicate that would be willing to spend $1,000,000 to defeat the pending bill." He added that it would be "worth at least $15,000 to Senator Kyle or his friend if the Senator voted to defeat the bill," all of which goes to show that the recipients of high protection are in dead earnest in the effort to prevent the passage of even the present bill, with all its leanings in their favor. Surely it must be a "bad cause" which resorts to such methods, though it can easily be seen that the sugar planters, who receive gifts under the present law of more than $10,000,000 a year, without a single dollar's worth of equivalent, and the sugar refiners whose gifts from the McKinley law are still greater, can well afford a paltry million in order to continue their present relations. And then there are a good many other interests involved in making up the corruption fund, whose profits from the present system, though perhaps smaller, are equally sure and much to be desired.

How many other Senators have been approached and urged for money could patriots to vote for filibuster against tariff reform does not yet appear. The proposed investigation should go to the bottom of affairs, though it is very likely to be as slight as possible. The money which was to buy votes or hinder voting will now be expended freely in order to prevent exposure, and we predict that whitewash will play an important part in the transaction.

A CONTEMPTIBLE TRICK.

The New York Commercial Advertiser says with apparent caution that "If Mr. Cleveland was at the bottom of the sugar schedule changes for the advantage of the Sugar Trust Mr. Cleveland should be impeached without delay."

But why should the Advertiser feel called upon to say this of the honored President of the United States. There is not the slightest evidence before the public that Mr. Cleveland has done anything of the sort, and even the paper making this implied charge does not profess to believe it. Such insinuations, made for mere partisan effect, are worse than open charges for which somebody would be responsible, and they show a desire to harm an opponent in the absence of any opportunity afforded by actual conditions.

Should some rival paper now proceed to say that if the editor of the Commercial Advertiser retired to the Brooklyn Tabernacle he should be sent to state prison without delay, the case would be strictly parallel. Nobody believes that either President Cleveland or the New York editor is guilty of what is hinted in such language. And yet in each case the charge would be impliedly made, and the fact that some men resort to such methods shows the meanness to which they are willing to condescend in order to smirch an opponent.

SILVER COINAGE.

Congressman Bland is looked upon as the head and front of the silver forces now represented at Washington. He is from Missouri, and lest his Democratic friends might not speak out on the subject he vacated his seat in the House for the time being and went home to steer the political ship. His first step was to secure the introduction of a resolution demanding free coinage of gold and silver at the ratio of sixteen to one, which is what is desired by all the silver mine owners and those who have silver to sell.

But though the committee favored bi-metallism it refused to accept this program. The Bland resolution was amended in committee and made to call for the "free bi-metallic coinage of both gold and silver, and the restoration of the bi-metallic standard as it existed under our laws for over eighty years prior to the demonetization of silver in 1873; and, should it become necessary in order to maintain the two metals in circulation, to re-adjust the ratio." And further the committee reported: "We declare that we are not in favor of gold mono-metallism or silver mono-metallism, but both should be coined at such a ratio as will maintain the two metals in circulation."

But this reasonable and proper silver scheme was rejected by the convention, and a resolution adopted entirely in accord with Mr. Bland's extreme views, which are probably to be accepted as the platform of the Populists and extreme silver men among the Republicans and Democrats, of whom there are not a few.

The General Assembly renders its best service in these days when refusing to do the bidding of some of its partisan leaders. Among the things that will tend to soften the criticisms of the public may be put down the refusal to change the vaccination laws, to pass the batch of "labor bills" which were gotten up for political buncombe, and to change the law concerning the appointment of license commissioners. It did well also to decline payment of members of the house of representatives for services not rendered, and to refuse the application for an appropriation in behalf of the Election Day excursion. It is a clear case where those involved have done some of their best work by sitting down hard on agitators and self-seeking politicians, irrespective of party and previous conditions of servitude. The General Assembly of 1894 has not done much, and therein is its chief merit.

The coal strike will lead to some new experiences. It has already so shortened the market for bituminous coal that New York dealers have ordered large quantities in Wales, and thousands of tons are now on their way to this country. It is also known that the soft coal users are depending upon the Dominion mines in Nova Scotia and a brisk trade is likely to spring up in that direction. It is said that for the time steamers from Europe take a supply there for the round trip. With these outside sources of supply, America is in no danger of having a coal famine just yet.

The Woonsocket Call says: "A business man might as well attempt to do business without salesmen or without a storeroom as to attempt to do it without advertising. Look at the successful business houses of this city, and you will find that every one of them is a liberal user of printer's ink. There's a moral here for some people."

Showers and thunder storms have been promised for several days, but nobody in Newport has yet had occasion to regret being caught out without an umbrella. What is wanted in these days are the promised showers. Most people are not so particular about the thunder, even though it does purify the atmosphere.

It is now said that the Boston fire which rendered so many people penniless and homeless was caused by a careless spectator at the ball game, who lighted his cigar and threw away the match, which happened to fall into the grass, where it did further execution such as has been reported.

Senator Kyle, who is absent from Washington, though supposed that the facts have come to the knowledge of the public, fully confirms the story of the attempted use of money for the defeat of the tariff bill. A report of what he had to say will be found in our telegraphic columns.

The Presbyterian General Assembly has shown its tendencies by making choice of an "anti-Briggs" man for moderator. So that the new theology is not likely to be officially recognized this year as orthodox.

Ex-Mayor Grant of New York has high hopes of being the successor of Richard Croker as head of the Tammany braves. There are other contestants, however, in the race.

Taxes for William is said to be tired of Cleveland's treatment, which shows that he was born to command.

The strike of the coal miners is still on, and the rank of the employers are still firm.

Boston's Roxbury district had another fire last night, with a loss of $30,000.

WHAT THEY SAY.

Newporters have taken off their coats, and put their shoulders to the wheel, and pushed all together, and now they think they see an Election less than two weeks ahead which will knock the spots out of any Fourth of July that ever was heard from.—[Westerly Sun.

Coxeyism seems to be dying out all over the country, that is to say, the papers have become tired of the disgusting actions of the crank from Massillon and his followers, and have concluded to devote their columns to more valuable and interesting news. The jail yard is the proper place for Coxey and his tramps, and the sooner the loafers are compelled to work the better it will be for all concerned.—[Pawtucket Times.

It would have been good judgment on the part of the person who is charged with having attempted to negotiate for the vote of certain Senators against the tariff bill to have waited until there was some indication that they would live long enough to have an opportunity to cast a vote on that measure.—[Fall River Globe.

The old adage that misfortunes never come singly is once more exemplified in the large number of fires. American cities are inclined to boast of their fire departments, but if we are to judge by the losses of the past ten days we must conclude that the fire and water departments of most cities are far from what they should be.—[Woonsocket Call.

The people of Pawtucket have reason to congratulate themselves that the work of destruction was not much more general and widespread. Had the fire extended in all its fierceness to the dwellings on the hills on either side of the river, no one can calculate when or where its progress would have been stayed. A conflagration of such proportions as that of yesterday is a menace to any city built so largely of wood as is Pawtucket. Happily the dwelling-house districts escaped, but Pawtucket's loss is still a very serious and severe one.—[Pawtucket Post.

THE TARIFF FIGHT.

The three-cornered fight in Congress over the question of ways and means of raising the national revenue is one of exceeding interest. The combatants are the Republican high protective tariff, the Democratic tariff for revenue only, with incidental protection, and the Populistic free-trade and income-tax system. In the last general election high protection was downed by the combined efforts of the other two combatants. Now the victors are quarreling over the question which really won the battle, and which is entitled to the fruits of victory. The Populistic sentiment seems to be predominant just now. An income tax, with or without a deficiency-producing customs tariff, seems to be a certainty. Meanwhile there are indications of a reaction in popular sentiment on the revenue question, and the high protectionists have taken fresh hope.

There will be reason for this renewal of confidence on their part if the radical and revolutionary income-tax proposition, the forerunner of free trade, is adopted by Congress. The people are conservative on financial questions; they recoil from either extreme. They believed that the Republicans were steadily building higher the already imposing protective wall, that the height of the walls was not uniform, and that the protection rendered by it was unequal, and that thereby injustice and injury were inflicted upon part of the people who lay behind it. They felt also that after the Republicans had succeeded politically in some sections of the country, through promises to rebuild and lower the tariff wall of their own accord, they had proceeded after the victory to raise it still higher and to aggravate its inequalities.

So the people dismissed the Republican party, and issued an edict that the protective wall must be lowered and made more uniform in height. If this, and only this, should be done, the high protectionists would be deprived of hope. But if this Congress will construe the popular mandate into a command that the protective wall founded on customs duties be either gradually or at once leveled to the ground, and that the revenues of the government be collected from the people by a new, inquisitorial and offensive tax on incomes, then there will be good reason to expect a reaction which will send the pendulum of public sentiment swinging back into high protectionism. The middle course is wisest and safest.—[Washington Star.

THE FRATERNAL CONFIDENCE GAME.

That the Order of Tonti must go the way of the Iron Hall and the countless other orders for fraternal swindling whose collapse has helped to impoverish our working people has been evident to all sensible people. The only matter of surprise is that it has held out long enough to be distinguished from the rest of the crowd, and thus to make its final collapse a fresh illustration of the fallacy of expecting to make something out of nothing. The form adopted by the promoters to disguise their failure is also especially interesting, because, instead of disguising, it really makes more plain the nature of the failure.

The people who were invited into these orders were promised, in return for small monthly payments for a period of years, the fixed sum of $1,000 each. Of course, if some of them were to get this amount others must get nothing, the whole scheme being based upon the assumption that a considerable portion of the members would grow tired of paying their dues and drop out, leaving their accumulations to be divided among those who remained. But the supreme officers have now levied what they call a debit assessment of $25 on each certificate, which means simply that, according to their present calculation, instead of paying $1,000 each to the members, they will be able to pay no more than $875, even to those who endure to the end. In other words, the amount to be returned to the patient payers of monthly dues and assessments will be a little less than the amount they have paid in, the difference, together with the accumulations from lapses, having been expended in the costs of the business and the salaries of the supremes.

We speak of the Order of Tonti as having come to an end, because that is necessarily the result of the application for a receivership, and it is not necessary to await the formal proceedings of the court. It will take a long time to wind up its affairs, and the receiver's fees and legal costs will further diminish the balance to be divided among the disappointed speculators. This is about the last, as it was one of the first, of the assessment humbugs, and it is safe to assume that the experiment will soon be repeated in this precious form. But there is never any lack of people willing to be duped by promises of impossible returns upon small investments. It will not be long before some ingenious persons will invent a new and still more plausible scheme, that will run its rapid course and come to grief in the same way.—[Philadelphia Times.

TENEMENTS, FURNISHED ROOMS AND BOARD.

TO LET—Tenement of three rooms to a family. Apply at 32 Tilley avenue.

TO LET—Very pleasant rooms with good board, located in a convenient and selected care. Address Box 26, Daily News Office.

WANTED—Young gentleman desires board and rooms, including furnished room, with family of private family; no others. State terms. G. S., 33 East 23d street, New York.

TO LET—Lower tenement 31 Howard avenue; separate entrance and separate heating apparatus; all modern conveniences. Apply on premises or to R. C. Ellis at Lawton & Sharpe's.

FOR RENT—The house 19 Howard avenue. All modern conveniences, steam heat, etc. Can be rented for one or two tenements. Possession May 1. Apply to J. Truman Burdick.

3 WHITFIELD COURT,

Corner Touro Street, one door from Bellevue Avenue,

PLEASANT AIRY ROOMS TO RENT.

Partial or full board if desired. Private family.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, May 18, 8 A. M.—For Massachusetts and Rhode Island—Rain and thunder storms; cooler in the interior; increasing easterly winds.

NEW ENGLAND WEATHER.

BOSTON, May 18, 8 A. M.—Local forecast for New England until Saturday night—Cloudy and showers today, probably clearing Saturday; cooler; easterly to northerly winds.

LOCAL CONDITIONS.

May 18.	8 A M	12 M	2 P M
Temperature,	58	60	62
Barometer,	29.75	29.72	29.71
Wind,	E	SE	SE
Weather,	Rain	Foggy	Foggy

MINIATURE CALENDAR.

FRIDAY, MAY 18.

Sun rises ..... 4 h. 10 m.
Sun sets ..... 7 h. 02 m.
Moon sets A. M. ..... 3 h. 25 m.
Length of day ..... 14 h. 52 m.
Day's increase ..... 5 m. 35 s.
High water, 6 h. 31 m. A. M.; 6 h. 18 m. P. M.

SATURDAY, MAY 19.

Sun rises ..... 4 h. 10 m.
Sun sets ..... 7 h. 03 m.
Moon rises P. M. ..... h. m.
Length of day ..... 14 h. 51 m.
Day's increase ..... 5 h. 10 m.
High Water, 7 h. 16 m. A. M.; 7 h. 38 m. P. M.

Moon's Phases.

Full Moon, May 19, 11 h. 43 m., A. M., E.
Last Quarter, May 27, 3 h. 4 m., P. M., W.
New Moon, June 3, 5 h. 56 m., P. M., W.
First Quarter, June 10, 8 h. 14 m., A. M., E.

NEW TODAY.

(NO OLD ADVERTISEMENTS ARE LISTED HERE.)

Got a Wife 1; 8th page.
$1,000 Reward; 1st page.
Wanted—Boy; 4th page.
To Let—Rooms; 4th page.
For Sale—Furniture; 5th page.
Weaver—Screens, etc.; 3d page.
Perry Brothers—Coal; 8th page.
Wanted—Young Lady; 4th page.
E. Y. Mason—Instruction; 7th page.
Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey; 7th page.
The Bee Hive—Shirt Waists; 1st page.
Probate Court—Almy Estate; 4th page.
Probate Court—Ennis Estate; 4th page.
Notice—Election Day Celebration; 5th page.
Wanted—Situation for Housework; 4th page.

For Sale.

A Corner Estate on Spring Street.

A good business location, with store, tenement and cottage always rented, furnishing a sure and steady income.

A. P. Baker.

PROBATE NOTICES.

Probate notices are published in the Daily News on Friday of each week as ordered by the Court of Probate. The cost is as low as in any other paper in the county.

Guardian's Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED having been duly appointed by the Hon. Court of Probate of the City of Newport, guardian of the person and estate of **Maggie Hayes** minor, of Newport, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against said estate to present them within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to him.

PATRICK J. HAYES, Guardian.

Newport, R. I. April 27th, 1894.

Commissioners' Notice.

WE, THE SUBSCRIBERS, having been appointed by the Court of Probate of the Town of Little Compton, Commissioners to receive and examine the claims of the Creditors of the estate of **Jesse A. Palmer**, late of Little Compton deceased, represented insolvent, and how they are made out, do hereby give notice that six months from the twelfth day of March A. D. 1894, are allowed to said Creditors of said estate, to bring in and prove their claims against the same, and that from two to three o'clock P. M. on the first day of June, the first day of September, and the twelfth day of September A. D. 1894, at the Town Clerk's Office in said Little Compton, are appointed by us as the time and place of meeting said Creditors for the purpose of receiving and examining their respective claims.

GEORGE H. PECKHAM,
WILLIAM T. SIMMONS,
BENJAMIN G. PIERCE,
Commissioners.

Little Compton, March 23, 1894.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport, in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 23rd. day of April A. D. 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M.

ON THE PETITION in writing of **Julia Murray** presented this day representing herself to be a minor over the age of fourteen years, and resident of said Newport and praying this Court to approve of Andrew J. DeBlois of said Newport whom she has chosen to be her Guardian.

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 11th. day of May 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

WM. H. HAMMETT, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate, of the City of Newport, in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 14th. day of May A. D. 1894, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

ON THE PETITION, in writing, of William Ennis and Caroline W. Ennis presented this day, praying that letters of administration on the estate of **Eliza A. Ennis**, late of said Newport, deceased, intestate, may be granted to said Caroline W. Ennis or some other suitable person:

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 4th. day of June 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

WM. H. HAMMETT, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate, of the City of Newport, in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 11th. day of May A. D. 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M.

ON THE PETITION, in writing, of Elizabeth A. Lee of said Newport, presented this day, praying that an instrument in writing presented therewith, purporting to be the last will and testament of **Sarah Abny** late of Newport, deceased, may be proved, approved, allowed and recorded, and that letters testamentary on the estate of said deceased may be granted to her, the Executrix named therein:

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 4th. day of June 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

WM. H. HAMMETT, Probate Clerk.

PROPOSALS.

Proposals for Steam Heating Apparatus.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received (from local steam fitters only) by the **City Council Committee on NEW Industrial School**, at the office of the undersigned, 26 Bellevue avenue, until Saturday, May 26, 1894, at 12 o'clock noon, for furnishing and placing steam heating apparatus in the new Townsend Industrial School according to specifications to be seen at said office.

The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to require a bond of the contractor.

JAMES FLUDDER, Architect.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED—Situation as cook. Good references. Address Box 11, Daily News Office.

WANTED—By a first class colored waitress of eight years' experience, a place as waitress in a boarding house. Address Box 55, Daily News Office.

WANTED—Situation to do general house work, plain cooking, etc. Apply at 97 Levin street.

WANTED—Situation by a first-class cook (colored). Address Box 121, Daily News Office.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A young lady to assist in office work. Apply between 7 and 9 P. M. at Geo. A. Wentworth's, 19, 21 & 23 Broadway.

WANTED—A boy to make himself generally useful. Apply at Downing Bros., 42 Broadway.

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework in a small family. 36 Rhode Island avenue.

WANTED—A boy about 16 years old at the Newport Reading Room. Must have good reference.

WANTED—A thoroughly competent waitress. Address Box 56, Daily News Office, stating place last lived in.

WANTED—A well recommended girl to do second work and waiting. Address Box 8, Daily News Office.

WANTED—A girl to do kitchen work; one who understands her business. Also a girl to do chambers work and be useful. Apply at 10 Bellevue avenue, between 12 to 3 P. M., front door.

WANTED—A young girl for light housework. Address Box 45, Daily News Office.

WANTED—A good reliable agent in this city; office work. $75 to $100 per month to the right man. Must be able to carry $100 worth of stock. Address Golden Era, 9 West 14th street, New York city.

MANAGER WANTED—To appoint salesmen to sell the Rapid Fish Washer. Washes and dries the dishes in two minutes without wetting the fingers. $75 a week and all expenses. Easy position; no capital; no hard work; can make $100 a week. Address W. P. Harrison & Co., Clerk No. 14, Columbus, Ohio.

LOST AND FOUND.

STRAYED—From Jay cottage, Buena Vista street, Thursday, a female fox terrier; answers to name of Fanny. Finder will be liberally rewarded upon returning to Jay cottage, Buena Vista street.

PROBATE NOTICES.

At the Court of Probate, of the City of Newport, in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 7th. day of May A. D. 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M.

MARY COSTELLO, Administratrix on the estate of **Frank J. Costello**, late of Newport, deceased, presents her first account of administration on said estate and prays that the same may be examined, allowed and recorded.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 28th. day of May 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

WM. H. HAMMETT, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate, of the City of Newport, in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 30th. day of April A. D. 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M.

JAMES NORTON and William P. Sullivan Executors of the last will and testament of **John Connelly** late of Newport, deceased, present their first and final account of administration on the estate of said deceased, and pray that the same may be examined, allowed and recorded.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 21st. day of May 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

WM. H. HAMMETT, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport, in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 7th. day of May A. D. 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M.

ON THE PETITION, in writing, of Lewis L. Simmons of said Newport, presented this day, praying that an instrument in writing presented therewith, purporting to be the last will and testament with codicil thereto of **Abbie Spooner** late of Newport, deceased, may be proved, approved, allowed and recorded, and that letters testamentary on the estate of said deceased may be granted to him, the Executor named therein:

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 28th. day of May 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

WM. H. HAMMETT, Probate Clerk.

At a Court of Probate of the Town of Jamestown, in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, Mar. 26th, 1894, at two o'clock P. M.

ON THE PETITION in writing of Eliza Hazard, H. Watson, Abby Watson, Laura Watson, presented this day, representing that they are kindred and related to **Amos Cross** of the City, County and State of New York, Commerant of the City, County of Providence in the State of Rhode Island, has a legal settlement in said town of Jamestown and is a person of unsound mind who for want of discretion in managing his estate is likely to bring himself to want. Wherefore they pray that Edward S. Burdick of the City and County of Newport in said State or some other suitable person may be appointed Guardian of the person and estate of the said Amos Cross. It was ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, April 23rd, 1894 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Town Hall, Jamestown, R. I. and on the said 23rd. day of April 1894 the case was continued to the 25th. day of May 1894 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon at the Town Hall, Jamestown, R. I. Notice thereof to be given to the said Amos Cross by citation and to all persons interested in the case by advertising the same in the Newport Daily News, once a week at least, for fourteen days.

WM. F. CASWELL, Probate Clerk.

At a Court of Probate of the Town of Jamestown, in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, Apr. 23rd, 1894, at 2 o'clock P. M.

ON THE APPLICATION of Gibson Latham and wife and John McCormick, Guardian, this day filed and presented, representing that they are the devisees under the will of the late **George Hull** of the Town of Jamestown of certain parcels of real estate with dwelling houses and other outbuildings standing thereon, that said buildings need more or less of repairs and that it would be greatly to the advantage of all parties interested to have a division of the property. They therefore pray the Hon. Court of Probate, after giving due notice to all parties interested to appoint three disinterested persons as Commissioners of partition and appraisers, who shall after being sworn to the faithful discharge of said trust proceed and divide said property. It is ordered that the consideration of said application be referred to a meeting of the court to be held at the Town Hall, Jamestown, R. I. on the 28th. day of May 1894 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and that notice be given to all persons interested by advertising in the Newport Daily News according to law.

WM. F. CASWELL, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate, of the City of Newport, in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 30th. day of April A. D. 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M.

SAMUEL STERNS, Administrator with will annexed on the estate of **Julia A. Cranston**, late of Newport, deceased, presents his final account of administration on said estate and prays that the same may be examined, allowed and recorded and for an order of distribution of that part of said estate of which said decedent died intestate.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 21st. day of May 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

WM. H. HAMMETT, Probate Clerk.

FOR SALE.

A saddle and bridle, a buckboard, a Brewster brougham, a carryall and ladies' dog cart. Also to rent for the season. Address Box 50, Daily News Office.

PRINTING AT DAILY NEWS JOB OFFICE.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, May 18. Wall Street—Opening Prices—Atchison, 5½; C., C., C. & St. Louis, 36¾; Missouri Pacific, 20¾; Northern Pacific, First preferred, 16½; Northern Pacific, Northwestern, 107¾; Manhattan, 121; Chicago, Rock Island, 68¾; New York Central, 98; Reading, 16; Rock Island, 102¾; St. Paul, 58¾; Omaha, 37¾; Sugar Trust, 130¾; Western Union, 83¾; Delaware & Hudson, 130¾; Erie, 13¾; Erie preferred, 27¾.

NOON—Money on call, easy at 1 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3¼ @ 4 per cent; sterling exchange, firm, with actual rates at 4.87¼ @ ⅛ for 60 days, and 4.88¼ for demand; posted rates, 4.88½ @ 4.90; commercial bills, 4.86½ @ 4.87; bar silver, 61¾; government bonds, steady; 4s, reg., 113½; 4s, coup., 114; railroad bonds, weak; Pacific 6s, 103 bid. There was a break in Manhattan after 11 o'clock, to 116¾, on a rumor from Albany that Governor Flower will sign the Chamber of Commerce rapid transit bill. Sugar made a further decline to 129¾. At 12 o'clock the market was dull and steady.

NEW YORK, May 18.

	Noon.
Atchison	5½
Canadian Pacific	87½
Canada Southern	55½
Chicago & Alton	158
Chicago & Alton preferred	170
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	73
C., C., C. & St. Louis	36¾
C., C., C. & St. Louis preferred	90½
Cotton Oil Certificates	27½
Delaware & Hudson	130¾
Delaware & Lackawanna	127
Denver & Rio Grande	16½
Denver & Rio Grande preferred	9
Erie	13½
Erie preferred	27¾
Illinois Central	97
Kansas & Texas	6¾
Lake Shore	132½
Lead Trust	19
Louisville & Nashville	57¾
Michigan Central	84½
Missouri Pacific	37
New Jersey Central	36¾
North American	10½
Northern Pacific	9
Northern Pacific First preferred	16½
Northwestern	104
Northwestern preferred	137½
New York Central	137
New York & New England	37½
Ohio & Mississippi	20
Ontario & Western	17
Oregon Navigation	15½
Pacific Mail	18
Peoria, Decatur & Evansville	14½
Reading	16
Rock Island	102½
St. Paul	58¾
St. Paul preferred	128
St. Paul, M. & Man.	129
Omaha	37½
Omaha preferred	93
Sugar Trust	129
Sugar Trust preferred	130½
Texas Pacific	9½
Union Pacific	38
Wabash	10½
Wabash preferred	20
Western Union	83½
National Cordage	27
National Cordage preferred	54
Duluth	4½
Duluth preferred	23
Gen. Elec.	38
Sugar	130

BOSTON EXCHANGE.

Boston, May 18.

	Noon.
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe	5½
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	74
Fitchburg preferred	136
New York & New England	37
New York & New England preferred	37
Pullman Palace Car	163
Wisconsin Central	9
West End Railway	87
Calumet & Hecla	255
Osceola Mining Co.	21
Tamarack Mining Co.	164
American Bell Telephone	200
New England Telephone	37
West End Land	17
Gen. Elec.	38½
Gen. Elec. preferred	61
Dom. Coal	33½

A. O'D. TAYLOR,

Real Estate Agent, - 194 Bellevue Avenue, Newport, R. I.

FURNISHED COTTAGES FOR THE **SUMMER SEASON.**

Office hours 9 morning till 6 evening.

DIED.

McCARTY—In this city, 18th inst., John McCarty, aged 25 years.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

WARD—In Cranston, 16th inst., William G. Ward, aged 71 years.

Funeral services at Trinity Church on Sunday, 20th inst., at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

ALLEN—In South Portsmouth, 17th inst., Robert T. S. Allen.

The funeral will be attended from St. Mark's Church, South Portsmouth, on Sunday, 22d inst., at 1 P. M. The interment will be in the Middletown cemetery at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

FISH—In Portsmouth, 15th inst., Charlotte, widow of Joseph Fish, in her 94th year.

READ—In Pawtucket, 17th inst., Esther J., wife of William H. Read, in her 76th year.

BOLSTER—In Valley Falls, 16th inst., Susan E. Bolster, in her 71st year.

ROBERT C. COFFREE, Undertaker and Embalmer, 322 and 324 Thames street. Residence 104 Mill street. Telephone at office and residence.

If the life insurance people recommend a remedy it must be something they have faith in. Well, that's what they do about Adamson's Cough Balsam. It prolongs life and makes life insurance risk a more bagatelle.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is absolutely unequaled as a blood purifier and strengthening medicine. It is the ideal spring medicine. Try it.

Dean's Rheumatic Pills, absolutely cure Rheumatism and Neuralgia. Entirely vegetable. Sale.

For Over Fifty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world.

How's Your Wife?

Does she feel poorly all the time, suffering from lack of energy, and a general "no account" feeling, less ener-ation? She needs a tonic. Something is wrong with her blood. Run for a doctor? No, not a doctor, a tonic, my dear sir. Get her a bottle of P. P. P. (Prickly Ash, Poke Root and Potassium). It is the very best Woman's Regulator and Tonic extant. It reaches the source of trouble quickly and quickly, and before you know it, your wife is another woman, and will bless the day you had the sense to buy that trouble P. P. P. to her notice and relief. Our best physicians indorse and recommend it, and no well-conducted household should be without it. It purifies the blood and its concomitant happiness is sufficient, should it be without it. For sale by druggists and the medicine dealers everywhere.

SIMEON HAZARD.

TO RENT—Store and Tenement 324 Thames street. Rent now and last month. "Election" trade.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, a nice family house in the Second ward, near Broadway; has bath and furnace. This is a good opportunity.

Private office for customers. No trouble to show properties.

Office 94 Broadway.

Open from 8 till 6, and Monday, Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

New Type.

THE DAILY NEWS JOB OFFICE

Has just received a large quantity of

New Styles of Type,

selected with care from the best foundries, with special reference to the best taste of its customers.

BY TELEGRAPH
To the Associated Press.
SPECIAL WIRE TO THE NEWS.

STORM-SWEPT.

Mississippi Valley States Suffer.

Wind and Hail Cause Widespread Damage.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 18.—The most severe hailstorm ever known in this section visited the city yesterday evening. Hailstones as large as goose eggs fell in large numbers, and one that was measured was three inches in diameter. Great damage was done to skylights and shrubbery. Reports from the country indicate that crops have been terribly injured. The storm was very severe as far south as Crestline.

ALLIANCE, Ohio, May 18.—For half an hour last evening this city was enveloped in nearly total darkness, during the worst storm that ever struck this part of the state. The velocity of the wind was over sixty miles an hour. Hundreds of shade trees and chimneys were swept before the storm. Several persons standing in the store doors of the Coates block had a narrow escape from being killed by the fall of a heavy iron cornice. Lightning destroyed the Central Union telephone exchange and burned out every telephone in the city. Several small fires were started by the burning telephones. For two miles along the Fort Wayne railroad track every telegraph pole was blown down. Great damage to farm property is reported.

In Indiana.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 18.—A wind and rain storm, with hail, passed over this city at 5 o'clock last evening. Great damage is reported from the section southwest of Indianapolis. At Patriot, in Switzerland county, hailstones as large as snow balls ruined trees and pounded the wheat into the earth. Six inches of ice formed in places.

ANDERSON, Ind., May 18.—A heavy wind storm passed over this city last night, doing considerable damage. Factory No. 2 of the Anderson Glass Company's plant was completely unroofed, while the rest of the company's factories and those of the Victor Glass Company, Indiana box factory and Mansfield carriage works were damaged to the extent of several thousand dollars. Many of the glass blowers who were at work in factory No. 2 were severely injured. In the city several houses were unroofed and trees blown down. The wind storm, which lasted half an hour, was followed by a cloud-burst, which deluged everything.

In Illinois.

DECATUR, Ill., May 18.—A terrific hailstorm broke over this city last evening, and in fifteen minutes' time did thousand of dollars' damage. In several stores the big plate glass windows were shattered, and in the Congregational, Methodist and Presbyterian churches the stained glass windows were riddled. The hot-houses of M. Bommersbach and A. Balmer were damaged to the extent of $500 each. Hailstones were picked up which measured eleven inches in circumference. Several persons who did not get under cover were severely injured.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., May 18.—A terrific wind storm struck this city last night, resulting in much damage to property. The front of the Dunn business block was blown down, and several other houses were damaged.

In Iowa.

GREENUP, Iowa, May 18.—A severe wind storm here yesterday was accompanied by hail and rain. Fences and barns throughout the country suffered, and it is thought that the wheat and other vegetation have been damaged.

CONFISCATED BY CANADA.

Charges to be Preferred Against Seized American Steamers.

AMHERSTBURG, Ontario, May 18.—A report has at last been received from Ottawa concerning the seized American steamers Visitor and Leroy Brooks. The deputy minister of justice has given instructions to take proceedings in the exchequer court against the boats, first, for fishing in Canadian waters without a license; second, for fishing during the close season of 1893; and third, for fishing in violation of the fish and game laws of the provinces. The necessary papers are being prepared and will be forwarded to the marshal at Windsor in a day or two. This action means practically that the boats are confiscated, and cannot be bonded, and that they will have to remain here until the decision of the court is announced.

The Ogles, which was seized by the Canadian authorities last fall and put in the exchequer court, is still tied up here.

Sentenced for Stealing Horses and Carriages.

WORCESTER, Mass., May 18.—William Aylesbury, alias John Munroe, of Somerville, pleaded guilty to the larceny of two teams, belonging to I. L. Currier and John E. Day of this city, in the superior court this morning. It was shown that he had served two four years' terms in the state prison and one year in the house of correction, the sentences being conferred in Middlesex county. He was given eight years in the state prison this morning. His brother Orrin, his partner, pleaded guilty to the larceny of Day's team, and was sent to the reformatory.

Death of a Boston Man Stabbed in a Quarrel.

BOSTON, May 18.—William Cavanaugh, thirty-nine years old, who was stabbed several times last Tuesday night by August Hoven in a quarrel, died last night at the city hospital. The charge against Hoven, who is under arrest, will be changed to manslaughter.

Death Sentence of Spanish Anarchists Confirmed.

MADRID, May 18.—The military council has confirmed the death sentence imposed by the court-martial at Barcelona upon the anarchists convicted of complicity in the attempt to kill General Martinez de Campos.

Reported Wreck of the Valkyrie I Denied.

LONDON, May 18.—Commodore Ignazio Florio, the owner of cutter Valkyrie I, which was reported as lost on the coast of Africa, has telegraphed to a friend in London, Signor Langana, that the report of the wreck of his yacht is an unmitigated lie, the Valkyrie having met with no mishap whatever.

STEALING FROM SHOP WINDOWS.

Detective Richards and Officer McCormick were engaged today in looking after marauders who last night stole several articles from shop windows. The breaks were made in each case through a show window. The most damage was done at G. H. Popple's shoeshop in the Smith Block, on Broadway, where a pane of glass, about five by four feet in size, had a small hole made in it by a stone, which was found inside. Two pairs of men's shoes were taken. At Mr. George Lawton's Larness shop a small sheet of glass on the Marlboro street front was knocked out, and a small russet leather gripsack was abstracted. At Miller's cigar store, on Bare road, another pane of glass was broken, and from the show window a box of cigars and some pipes and tobacco were taken. The police had suspicions of various persons seen with new pipes and the proper grade of tobacco, but thus far they have been unable to locate the thief or thieves. It is probable that all the breaks were made by one person.

Mr. William A. Peckham's house on Newport avenue was also entered, but though it was apparently thoroughly ransacked only a few small household articles are missing.

DISTRICT COURT.

Several criminal cases were before the court today, and counsel took a prominent part in the proceedings. Some of the cases were a part of those now pending against Edward Henry. This well-known personage had two complaints to answer, one charging him with being a common drunkard and the other alleging malicious mischief. There seems to be no great difficulty under the license system in the obtaining of liquor by well-known drinkers, and Henry seems to get a plentiful supply of the spirituous, intoxicating and malt, if not "pure," fluids that abound in this fair city, and anybody with half a brain could predict just what would be the result.

But there was one rather unusual circumstance about his situation. The American conscience has grown a very advanced position. It doesn't at all hesitate to keep most laboring men constantly running the gauntlet of rum shops located "thick as spatters" near their homes; this is the protection afforded by the government to its citizens. The public conscience willingly allows a large sum to be paid into the public treasury out of the money wasted in drink by these men, whose families need the money. Jails and lock-ups are kindly provided to shut up those citizens who have thus followed out the plan of the government, but gone (as everybody knows they inevitably will) a little too far in following the plan. Yet the conscience is stilled a little by the solace of the thought that the money obtained for licenses will in part pay for the expense of keeping the patrons like animals in a menagerie. All this is familiar, but it seems that Henry went a step farther and actually injured the station house. It is a wonder that counsel did not raise the point that Henry's money had helped pay for the building, and that he was only doing what was natural under the circumstances. But no; this was not done. Henry actually paid $5 and costs for malicious mischief, in injuring the station house. But this was not all.

There yet remained the charge of being a common drunkard. Judge Ward gave the defendant's record of convictions in the lower court, and the clerk of the common pleas court had one case, the law requiring three convictions to prove the charge, as brought. It seemed that in the upper court the defendant pleaded nolo, and the case was continued for sentence. The point was raised that this was not a conviction, and the case was therefore held for advisement, defendant going to jail in the meantime.

In the case of James Richardson, charged with assaulting Daniel Leary with a knife, two hats of very dilapidated appearance were produced, and the case was continued. Mr. Callaghan moved to reduce the bail of his client, but the court did not grant the request.

Elizabeth A. Kelley, an immoral person, was sent to the house of correction for a year, the sentence also including costs.

James Sullivan has paid $5 and costs for assaulting Jane Brennan.

The Tiverton liquors are still in custody, as no decision has been announced by the court.

JAMESTOWN.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

James Sullivan, a laborer employed on the government work at Dutch Island, was badly wounded in the foot yesterday, while attempting to roll a large stone over the bank to the shore. The stone becoming unmanagable rolled upon and crushed his foot. He was taken to his home in Newport yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. B. T. Putnam and family, who have been residing in Waltham, Mass., have arrived at their cottage here, for the season.

Mr. Henry Smith has returned from a visit to Mr. Charles A. Potter, in New Bedford.

Mrs. Eva Thomas of Newport and Charles Blackmar of Providence who have been visiting Miss Mary Briggs, have returned to their homes.

Mrs. Gillingham, who has resided for many years on Narragansett avenue, is moving today to her new home on Clinton avenue.

THE LICENSE COMMISSIONERS BILL.

The bill to wipe out the present license commissioners was indefinitely postponed in the senate Thursday. The reason for this action was that the Providence commissioners, against whom the proposed legislation was directed, had finally arrived at the conclusion that the gentlemen at the state house had equal powers of creation and destruction.

The bill was aimed directly at one member of the Providence commission, who has been mixing the duty of granting licenses with the pleasure of obliging his political friends. Licenses have been refused in some places and granted in others, and reasons for the changes have not been forthcoming. In one instance a Democratic saloon keeper, who was refused a license, was directed, upon remonstrating, to discuss the matter with a political enemy, the leader of another Democratic faction. This was in a ward where Democratic factions are made use of by the other party, but the saloon keeper declined to ask his enemy to intercede for him with the commissioner.

This kind of low-down politics recalls the oft-repeated declaration of Mr. Wilson, the father of the present act, at the time of its passage. Over and over again he insisted that the doing away with the old laws relating to commissioners would take the matter of granting licenses out of politics. Mr. Wilson is not a good prophet.

The question went still deeper into politics, for some of the dealers, who had conducted saloons for years and had been refused licenses in April, had friends among the leading politicians. The latter attempted to learn the reason for the action of the commissioners, but failed dismally. In at least one instance there were charges and counter-charges of prevarication.

Then the bill was passed in the house, and the senate was in readiness to adopt it in concurrence. There was one way for the interested parties to prevent its passage, and they took that course. The gentlemen with friends got their licenses. The bill is indefinitely postponed, with power reserved to bring it up at any time when the commissioners are again seized with a fit of independence.

There is nothing in it but politics of a most disreputable nature, but the board of commissioners in granting and refusing licenses this year has unwittingly provided an interesting study in what humorists would call a branch of government by the people and for the people. And it must be conceded that if Mr. Wilson was forced to earn his bread by engagements as a prophet he would be lean and hungry inside of twenty-four hours.—[Providence Journal.

LETTER CARRIERS' ASSOCIATION.

Tomorrow evening the Letter Carriers' Association of Rhode Island will have its annual reunion and supper in Odd Fellows' Hall in this city. The carriers from the other parts of the state are expected to arrive about 8:30 o'clock, on steamer Wave. They will be escorted to the hall, where supper will be served, to be followed by an entertainment by performers from Providence and this city, including the Mandolin Club. It is expected that about seventy-five carriers will be present. Invitations have been sent to the several postmasters and members of Congress, and to officials of the national association in this vicinity. The entertainment will be in charge of the local association, the committee consisting of President E. I. Gorton, Secretary W. H. Lee, Treasurer W. A. Ward, and Carriers D. Brown, J. A. Carr and P. F. Harrington, as a reception committee. The several local associations to be represented are Providence, with sixty-six carriers; Pawtucket, fifteen; Woonsocket, twelve; Central Falls, six; Westerly, three; and Newport, with twelve regulars and two substitute carriers.

THE NEW YORK YACHT CLUB.

The third general meeting of the New York Yacht Club for the year was held in New York last evening, and was largely attended. Vice Commodore E. M. Brown presided.

Following the reading of the usual reports, several important amendments were taken up. These changes in the club laws were passed at the March meeting and required to be submitted again, as provided for in the constitution. All were approved last night. The more important addition to the constitution was the following to article 6:

Any woman owning a yacht is eligible for election to the club as a flag member, and shall upon election pay annual dues but no initiation fee. Such membership shall continue only during the period of yacht ownership and carries only the following privileges: The right to fly the club burgee, to have private signal registered with the secretary, to enter yacht in club races, and the use of club stations and floats.

This amendment was brought about by the application of Mrs. Lucy C. Carnegie for membership in the club. The application was made in December last, and her name was proposed by Mr. Fairman Rogers and seconded by Mr. Archibald Rogers. Immediately after the adoption of the amendment, Mrs. Carnegie was elected a flag member of the club.

It was fixed that the annual cruise of the club shall begin on August 6 and the rendezvous be off Glen Cove, Long Island.

In the matter of the proposed celebration of the semi-centennial of the club, the special committee appointed for that purpose reported that the majority of the boat owners favored the second plan submitted to them, which is as follows: A reception to be held at the clubhouse on the evening of July 30; and a regatta, to be held on the first day of the August cruise, for cups to be given to the various classes of yachts, and designated as semi-centennial celebration cups, the regatta to be under the rules of the New York Yacht Club and under the auspices of its regatta committee.

The club approved the plan, so the fiftieth anniversary of the organization will be celebrated by a reception at the clubhouse, 67 Madison avenue, on the evening of July 30, and by the races for the semi-centennial celebration cups on August 7, the day following the rendezvous of the fleet at Glen Cove.

The club gave permission to the Messrs. Gould, owners of the Vigilant, to challenge for the Royal Victoria Yacht Club's gold cup with that yacht. This was in answer to a request by the gentlemen named.

Mr. Ogden Goelet has offered the usual cups for schooners and sloops, to be sailed for off Newport, during the annual cruise, and the offer was accepted.

Among the new members elected were Lieutenant J. A. Bell, U. S. N.; Frederick D. Hatch, Lieutenant Albert P. Niblack, U. S. N.; Lieutenant John A. H. Nickels, U. S. N.; John E. Alexandre, George Walbridge Miller, Edmund Randolph, Marion Story, Lieutenant W. H. Schuetze, U. S. N., and Lieutenant H. H. Hosley, U. S. N.

RACES BETWEEN THE VIGILANT AND VALKYRIE.

Two races have already been arranged between sloop yachts Vigilant and Valkyrie, to be sailed in English waters, and others will undoubtedly be agreed upon when Mr. Gould arrives across the Atlantic and has had an opportunity to talk with Lord Dunraven. The first of the two races already arranged is to be sailed over the Clyde course during the Clyde regatta week, and the second race will be over the English course for the Cape May and Brenton Reef cups—that is, from Cowes to Cherbourg breakwater and return. A gold cup is to be given to the winner of each race. Lord Dunraven cabled to Mr. H. Maitland Kersey yesterday that these two races have been decided upon. The outcome will be watched with considerable interest. Both courses are fair, being out in the open sea and free from headlands. Mr. Howard Gould will have for a companion on the Audanta Mr. S. L. Davidson, a well-known Corinthian yachtsman, who once owned sloop Princess.

POLICE NOTES.

William H. Holt has been fined $2 and costs for revelling.

Andrew H. Anderson, a truant, has, upon complaint of Truant Officer Topham, been sent to the Sockanosset School for Boys, for fourteen months.

Delia Ryan has been fined $2 and costs for revelling.

Joseph Snecky was arrested yesterday for drunkenness, and later was charged with being "lewd and wanton." He pleaded not guilty and the case was continued until Tuesday next. He was committed.

The estimates of the damage by frosts in the strawberry fields vary, but it is safe to assume that a third, at least, of the acreage has been blighted. Some growers have had substantially their whole beds blasted. It does not promise to be a profitable year to many, although the fields never looked better than they did in the early part of last week.—[Taunton Gazette.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Pilot boat Richard K. Fox arrived this morning.

—Mr. Lyman's 30-footer Fancy arrived from Boston yesterday.

—Schooner Robert Byron is discharging lime for Albert Hammett.

—Schooner Young America has hauled out at Hammett's wharf, for her spring cleaning.

—Mr. W. De Witt Earl and family of Nashua, N. H., have arrived at their cottage on Merton road.

—The Misses Richmond have returned from Lakewood, N. J., and are at Mrs. Rudolph's, on Church street.

—Mr. L. G. Savage returned today from a week's visit to Portland, Me. He left his horse at Portland.

—Mr. Christopher R. Robert of New York, who will soon occupy his villa on Bellevue avenue, is in town.

—Rev. Mr. Craig has re-considered his determination to resign as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. B. French, who were recently on the passenger list of a steamer bound for Europe, abandoned the trip at the last moment.

—Block Island steamer Ocean View has completed repairs to her machinery, and with steamer Herman S. Caswell will be hauled out next week on the marine railway.

—The steam roller is at work on Kinsley's wharf. While street has been covered with stone and is ready for the roller, which has more work than can well be attended to at this season, and is being run over-time.

—A special from Providence says that Allan W. Dorsey, who is confined in the state prison for the murder of Benjamin J. Burton of this city, has been appointed bookkeeper in the shoe department in the prison, in place of P. F. Dennehy, who was pardoned a few weeks ago.

—This morning Captain Tom Shea discovered a bark anchored off the First beach, on a line between Vinland and Cormorant Rock, whither she had probably drifted during the night. He notified Captain Townsend, and tug Aquidneck went out to learn if the craft needed assistance, but found that she had been towed out by a fishing steamer, and had continued her voyage.

—Yesterday afternoon Governor Brown, through the adjutant general, ordered the entire state militia, including the independent companies, to participate in the parade on Election Day, and Newport will have what it has not had for many years, the presence of all the military organizations of the state to help its celebration. So large a number of troops will undoubtedly draw large crowds to Newport on Election Day.

—This morning about 10 o'clock a bicyclist had a narrow escape from death or serious injury, on lower Thames street. He was riding up town, and when opposite Yates's saloon he met a loaded stone wagon, bound for the Vanderbilt place. In trying to turn out his wheel slipped on the wet pavement, and wheel and rider fell directly under the horses' feet. Both rider and driver were on the alert, but the bicyclist was the only one who under the circumstances could do anything, and he acted promptly, rolling away from the wheels of the heavy cart just in time to escape injury. The bicycle needs new wheels, but the rider needed only to brush the mud from his clothing.

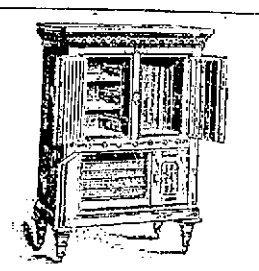
NAVAL NOTES.

Commander George M. Book has been assigned to duty at the Pensacola navy yard.

The Thetis arrived at Mare Island yesterday.

The trial of Passed Assistant Engineer Cleaver, on charges of drunkenness, commenced in Norfolk, Va., yesterday.

Cruiser Columbia, which was accepted by the government last November, after making a record of 22.81 knots on her official trial, left the League Island navy yard yesterday for her final deep-sea trial trip. The trial will be of forty-eight hours' duration, and will be under the direction of a trial board, of which Commander Thomas O. Selfridge is chairman. It was intended that the big ship should be run for stated periods under each engine independently, then with combinations of two, and finally with all three. While at sea a careful inspection will be made of the broadside 6 inch guns, which are said to be so placed that they cannot be used effectually. Some alterations may be recommended, but the builders of the ship say the guns are placed exactly as ordered, and should work all right unless the plans were defective.



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NOTICES.

Election Day Celebration.

Notice to Officers and Members of Civic Organizations of This City.

NEWPORT, May 16, 1894.

AT A MEETING of the Citizens' Committee of Election Celebration held this evening it was voted "That all civic organizations of the city be invited to take part in the parade on "Election Day" and that the invitation be extended through the columns of the press, with the request that those accepting kindly notify the secretary on or before THURSDAY, 24th inst." Any information can be obtained from the Committee on Invitations.

MELVILLE BULL, Chairman.
JOHN P. SANBORN.
JOHN H. WETHERELL.
ALBERT C. LANDERS.
CHAS. E. HARVEY, Secretary.

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YEARLY MEETING
SPECIAL NOTICE.
PARTIES HAVING ROOMS TO LET, to Friends in attendance at the approaching Yearly Meeting, will please call upon or address the undersigned members of the committee on arrangements. Applicants in writing should state the number of rooms, and the price per day with or without board.
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Persons desirous of having water introduced into residences or places of business should make application at the office of the Newport Water Works, 5 West Marlboro' street. Office hours from 8 A. M to 2 P. M.

BY TELEGRAPH

To the Associated Press.

SPECIAL WIRE TO THE NEWS.

IRON WORKERS GROWING RESTIVE.

Advisability of a National Strike Under Consideration.

PITTSBURG, Penn., May 18.—Probably the most important business to be considered at the Cleveland convention of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers is the advisability of a national strike in the iron trade. Such is the report current among the local iron and steel workers, who say that the project has been under discussion in their lodges for several months. According to the same sources of information, emissaries have been working with much success among the employes in non-union mills. It is well known that the non-union workers, as well as the unionists, have become dissatisfied over the present condition of affairs. It is stated that the desire of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers to co-operate has been eagerly accepted.

For the purpose of stirring up a general strike sentiment for higher wages, trusted organizers have been sent to Steelton, Harrisburg, Scranton, Philadelphia, Pottstown, Bellefonte and other Eastern manufacturing cities, to sound the workingmen and ascertain whether they will join in the movement. This national strike, it is said, will not be ordered immediately, but six months or more may elapse before it is undertaken. In the meantime a part of the plan is to have the convention adopt the sixty-day limit wage scale. It is also asserted that in many mills which are normally working under individual agreement secret lodges have been organized, and the men are only waiting for an opportunity to assert their allegiance to the Amalgamated association.

WOULD NOT ACCOMPLISH ITS PURPOSE.

Objections to the Bill to Change the Date of the Meeting of Congress.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Representative Crain's bill to change the date of the meeting of Congress, which was favorably reported the other day by the committee on the election of President and Vice President and Representatives in Congress, it is pointed out, will hardly meet all the declarations of its author contained in the report accompanying the measure. The bill provides "that the first annual meeting of Congress shall be on the first Tuesday after the fourth day of March, and the second annual meeting shall be on the first Monday after the first day of January." The report says that under this arrangement there would be no short sessions. Unless Mr. Crain expects the second long session to continue over fourteen months, there will have to be a short session of at least every alternate Congress, to count the electoral vote for President and Vice President. The only alternative would be the adoption of an amendment to the constitution, modifying or abolishing the present requirement in respect to that matter. Instead of there being but two long sessions of each Congress, experts about the Capitol figure out that there would be two long ones and a short one, and probably two short ones, should Mr. Crain's bill become a law.

SCENES OF DEVASTATION.

Immense Property Loss Caused by Floods in Minnesota.

ST PAUL, Minn., May 18.—The loss by the great flood in Pierce county was at least $100,000. Rush river rose high above its banks, carrying along every bridge from the head-waters to the Mississippi river. At Martelle, El Paso and other places flouring and saw mills were swept along by the flood, entailing losses of which no accurate estimate can be formed. Three farm-houses with occupants are said to have been washed away by the flood. The valley of the Rush river is a scene of complete devastation.

The flood was caused mainly by numerous mill dams breaking. At Hudson, Wis., the mill dams on Willow river have all been carried away, and word was received from Burkhardt, Jewett's, Green's and other localities yesterday that the water had reached there and was rushing over the big dam, carrying away thousands of tons of earth.

The Omaha main line bridge, about five hundred feet distant, was undermined, carrying away the stone abutments, which rise twenty five feet above the water's edge. The lower foot bridge was also undermined. Captain Scott of the Omaha railroad estimates the damage to the road at $75,000. Traffic will be interrupted for two weeks. The loss along the river will amount to at least $100,000.

ITALIAN BANK SCANDALS.

Testimony Involving a Former Chief of the Finance Ministry.

ROME, May 18.—Important testimony was given yesterday in the trial of Bernardo Tanlongo, ex-governor of the Banca Romana, who is accused of having issued 60,700,000 lire in notes above the legal limit and having stolen 28,000,000 lire of the amount over-issued. Signor Biagini, a treasury inspector, testified that immediately after the first inquiry into the affairs of the Banca Romana he had informed Signor Giolotti, head of the finance ministry at the time, that grave disorder in the accounts had been discovered. This statement caused a sensation in the courtroom, as Giolotti, when premier, repeatedly denied that he had received any information whatever concerning irregularities in the bank. Signor Tajani, ex-keeper of the seals, testified that Pietro Tanlongo, son of the governor of the bank, had confided in him that Giolotti, as president of the council, had drawn money from the Banca Romana to use for election purposes.

TO BE PROMOTED.

Portuguese Minister to Leave Washington for Paris.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The Portuguese Minister, Senhor Souza Roza, will leave for Lisbon next week on a six months' leave of absence, but it is understood that he will not return, as he has received private information that he will be made Minister to France, which is the highest diplomatic post of Portugal. An additional indication that his absence will be permanent is given in the announcement that all his personal collections of rare bric a-brac will be sold at auction in a few days. The Minister says he will leave this country with deep regrets, as his relations here have been invariably of the most delightful character. In the five years that he has been in charge of the legation at Washington there has been no disagreeable incident. When asked about the Brazilian difference he replied that the two countries were of the same family, and the differences would undoubtedly be settled satisfactorily.

Riot in a Nicaraguan Town Quelled by Troops.

NEW YORK, May 18.—A special despatch from Managua to a morning paper says: The troops had to be called out in Leon Wednesday to help the police put down a riot. Four soldiers and three policemen were killed. Six leaders of the mob were arrested and shot.

NOT EXTRAORDINARY.

Senator Kyle Talks Upon Lobbyist Influence upon National Legislation.

MISSOURI VALLEY, Iowa, May 18.—Senator Kyle of South Dakota passed through here last night, bound for Washington. He was very much surprised to learn by the newspapers that some of the facts in connection with the attempted bribery of certain Senators to vote against the tariff bill had leaked out. He did not care to discuss the matter for publication, but stated that the circumstances occurred a couple of months ago, and intimated that there was a good deal more of a sensational nature that would be developed if an investigation were made.

Now that the mere outline of the attempted bribery is made public, Senator Kyle does not hesitate to say that many of the statements made in the papers yesterday are true. He plainly points out that there is nothing extraordinary in what has occurred at Washington in connection with the tariff bill, and it is an open secret that there is a lot of lobbyists who infest committee rooms every time any important measure is under consideration before the Senate. Just to what extent money has been used to influence the passage of prominent measures he does not know, but one thing is certain, and that is that the present investigation may have the effect of clearing the Senate corridors and committee rooms of lobbyists who would debauch the nation's legislators by big bribes from the path of duty and honest convictions.

Two Sailors Saved from the Wrecked Valkyrie I.

LONDON, May 18.—The Valkyr'e I, which was reported on Wednesday to have gone on the rocks off the African coast, has gone to pieces. The first report that all the crew had been lost was incorrect, as two sailors were saved.

Germany the Only Obstacle to General European Disarmament.

PARIS, May 18.—The Figaro prints an interview with the commander of a French army corps, whose name is withheld, in which that general declares that the only obstacle in the way of a general European disarmament is the Reichsland.

French Spies Arrested on German Soil.

BERLIN, May 18.—Two Frenchmen were arrested at Mayence on the Ruine yesterday. They were suspected of being spies, and the suspicion was confirmed by the discovery in their rooms of plans of the Mayence fort works. Their appearance indicates that they are officers of good rank.

CHINESE NAMES.

Among many puzzles which help to bewilder a foreigner who has newly arrived in China, not the least difficult to solve is that of Chinese names. If one innocently asks a native what his name is, the answer received is an autobiographical sketch, in the course of which his hero presents himself under a variety of appellations, and much probing of the question is necessary before one can arrive at a tolerably clear idea of the subject.

All children are given a *ju ming*, or "milk name," when they are a few weeks old. This is conferred upon them with a certain degree of ceremony. After the birth of a son (among well-to-do people) the parents spread a feast, to which all male relatives and intimate friends are invited. When the company is assembled, the father carries the child into the room and announces the name decided upon. Every one who attends the entertainment is the bearer of a present, and on leaving receives in return an ornamental box containing a slice of roast pork—a custom bringing to mind the rather more refined French one of giving each guest at a christening a box of bonbons. The mother does not appear at table, but passes the day in *chin-chinning* (to "chin-chin" is to greet, to propitiate, etc.) the gods on the baby's behalf. During the evening, in order to warn off evil spirits, numbers of fire-crackers are exploded. It is not considered necessary to give a feast when a daughter is born, nor are the congratulations of friends expected. Children's "milk names" are always fanciful and pretty, but that the evil eye may be averted these are often dropped, and the little ones called by some opprobrious nicknames, such as pig, bug, hog, flea, etc.

When a boy's education begins a *shu ming*, or "book name," is assumed. He is taken by his father to the school which has been chosen, where the father and teacher unite in *kow towing* before the memorial tablets of Confucius and other sages (some of these tablets always hang on the walls of schoolrooms) and in beseeching them to look favorably upon the lad. The *shu ming* consists of two characters which have some auspicious and appropriate meaning—such names as "intelligent scholar," "entering virtue," "rapid progress," etc., being frequently selected.

When a man marries he adopts yet another name, called *tse* (style). This is sometimes composed of a combination of his "milk" and "book" names, but is more commonly brand-new for the occasion. If he obtains a literary degree, or occupies an official position, he receives a *kwan ming* or "official name." If he is a tradesman he takes a *hao*, or "shop name." It is usual for the *hao* to contain some allusion either to the personal appearance or to the occupation of the shop keeper. This custom accounts for the ridiculous signs which amuse "globe trotters" as they stroll along the "Queen's Road" in Hong Kong or wander into the "Houkow" of Shanghai, the signs in these streets being written in English. Strictly speaking, the "hao" belongs more to the shop than to the shopman, but it is always used by foreigners as if it were a personal name, and not infrequently by the Chinese also. The case is, however, very much the same as if a stranger in Paris were to talk about "Mr. Louvre," or "Mr. Bon Marche."

It might be supposed that the supply of names enumerated would satisfy any reasonable man, and that he could die, in this respect, content with fate—but not so. A Chinaman leaves strict injunctions with regard to the final one, which is bestowed on him only after death. Under it will his virtues be enumerated on the ancestral tablet, and under it he will be worshipped by successive generations of descendants.

Woman, who is in China defrauded of most of her rights, naturally is not allowed her fair share of names. She is called by her *ju ming* until her marriage, when her family name becomes her given name, and she adopts in its place the cognomen of her husband's clan. Thus, according to the Chinese custom, if Miss Rose Brown married Mr. Robinson, she would discard the "Rose" and call herself Robinson Brown, the family name always being placed first.

In the south of China both men's and women's names are in conversation commonly abbreviated to one character, to which an A is prefixed, as A-loh, A-cung, etc. In Amoy and its neighborhood this practice is reversed, the A being placed after the character, while in many provinces of the empire the custom is entirely unknown.

A stranger is astonished on finding that men and women are frequently called by the same names, and still more surprised when he discovers that in the Chinese language no words exist which correspond to our Christian names. That is to say, there is none used solely for this purpose, as we use Henry, James, Mary, etc. They are simply chosen with reference to their meaning, which causes what difference there is between the names of the sexes. These are, as has been remarked, often alike, but again there are certain terms which are only applied to men, and vice-versâ. Thus while "A lily," "A flower," and "Emulating the moon," are favorite names for girls, they are not considered suitable to the sterner sex.

All foreign tradesmen who establish themselves in the country take a "hao," and all foreign merchants a "Hong" name; the famous firm of Jardine, Matheson & Co. being known as "Ewo," and that of Butterfield & Swire as "Taku." Even travelers are generally inspired with a desire to have ivory boxes, pocket handkerchiefs and other articles marked with their names in Chinese. This fancy enables the wily Celestial to play many a sly joke on the hated "fan kwei" (foreign devil). Characters which approach the foreign name in sound are offered to him, but it is a peculiarity of the language that, although many of its characters have almost exactly the same sound, their meanings differ widely, and there is no written resemblance between them. The unconscious "globe-trotter" knows naught of this. He will dine out and exhibit with the utmost complacency a handkerchief on which he is described as a "fat pig" or a "little bug," whereas had he consulted a Chinese scholar he might have gone forth with highly complimentary terms inscribed on his personal belongings.—[C. M. S., in New York Post.

NOTABLE ANNIVERSARIES.

May 18.

1675—James Marquette, missionary and explorer, died near Marquette river, Michigan; born in France 1637.
1703—Charles Perrault, French miscellaneous writer, died; born 1628.
1804—Napoleon Bonaparte was declared emperor of France.
1856—James King, editor of the San Francisco Evening Bulletin, was shot dead by James Casey of the Sunday Times, which caused the famous vigilance committee.
1864—Nathaniel Hawthorne, author, died in Plymouth, N. H.; born 1804.
1875—5,000 lives lost by earthquake in Colombia, South America.
1882—Sir Henry Cole, English critic and editor, patron of educational art, died at South Kensington, England; born 1808.
1883—Cyclones devastated large districts in Wisconsin, Minnesota, Illinois and Missouri; hundreds of people killed and injured.
1890—Terrible powder explosion at Havana; over 100 persons killed and injured.

FLORISTS.

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Old Fashioned June Pinks, Daisies, Polyanthus, Myosotis or Forget-me-nots, Honeysuckles, Clematis Paniculata, Spirea, Japonica, Ampelopsis or Boston Ivy, Geraniums—fine show.
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Redwood Library, Bellevue avenue—Open to visitors daily, Sunday excepted, from 12 M. to 2 P. M. Open to subscribers from 10 A. M. to 6 P. M.

Sailboats in charge of experienced boatmen to be found at all hours at Kinsley's wharf, foot of Pelham street; sail and rowboats also at Long and Spring wharves.

People's Library, 270 Thames street—Open from 10 A. M. to 8 P. M. daily (except on Sundays) and on Saturdays until 9 P. M.

Newport Historical Society, Touro street—Open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Natural History Society, Touro street—Open daily from 10 A. M. to 2 P. M. Saturdays from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Electric Street Cars connect at Commercial wharf for Beach, Mile Corner and Morton Park.

Places of Interest—FORTY STEPS, on Cliffs foot of Narragansett avenue; SPOUTING ROCK, west end of Bailey's beach; PARADISE and HANGING ROCKS, north of Second beach; PURGATORY, west end of Second beach; MIANTONOMI HILL, end of Malbone road, off Broadway.

Cliff Walk—Extending from Easton's to Bailey's beaches, past the residences of Mrs. Gammell, Robert and Ogden Goelet, L. L. Lorillard, August Belmont, the Astors, Dr. C. N. Bell, the Vanderbilts and others. Open to the public.

Drives—Bellevue avenue, from Jewish Cemetery to Bailey's beach; Ocean avenue, "ten mile drive," from Bailey's beach along the south shore by Grove's Point, Bateman's, Castle Hill, Fort Adam's, Brenton's Cove, along the crest of Halidon Hill with its superb views of the harbor, the islands and the bay; West road, from Broadway to Bristol Ferry, nine miles, by Lawton's Valley, the Coal Mines and Portsmouth Grove, with full view of the bay; East road, from Broadway to Stone Bridge, twelve miles; Paradise road, from Second beach, by Hanging Rocks to Indian avenue; Indian avenue, continuing north along East shore.

At Jamestown; take carriage at landing and drive to Dumplings and Beaver Tail, or to Conanicut Park by middle road and back by shore road.

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Mail Schedule,
January 1, 1894.

NEW YORK AND SOUTHERN—Open, 9:30 a. m., 1:30, 7:30 p. m.; close, 9:30 a. m., 3:50, 7:30 p. m.

WESTERN—Open, 9:30 a. m., 1:30, 6:30, 7:30 p. m.; close, 9:45 a. m., 2:30, 3:50, 7:30 p. m.

FOREIGN—Open, 9:30 a.m., 1:30, 7:30 p. m.; close 9:45 a. m.; 3:50, 7:30 p. m.

BOSTON AND EASTERN—Open, 9:30, 11:30 a. m.; 1:30, 6:30 p. m.; close, 7:00, 9:45 a. m., 2:30, 4:40, 7:30 p. m.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Open, 9:30, 11:30 a. m., 1:30, 2:30, 7:30 p. m.; close, 7:00, 9:45 a. m., 2:30, 4:40, 7:30 p. m.

FALL RIVER—Open, 9:30, 11:30 a. m., 2:30, 6:30 p. m.; close, 7:00 a. m.; 2:30, 4:45, 7:30 p. m.

NEW BEDFORD—Open, 9:30, 11:30 a.m., 6:30 p.m.; close 7:00 a. m., 4:40, 7:30 p. m.

BRISTOL FERRY—Open, 9:30, 11:30 a. m.; close, 4:40, 7:30 p. m.

PORTSMOUTH, TIVERTON AND LITTLE COMPTON—Open, 9:30, 11:30 a. m., 7:00 p.m.; close, 7:30 a.m., 4:40 p. m.

SOUTH PORTSMOUTH—Open, 7:00 p. m.; close, 7:30 a. m.

WICKFORD—Open, 9:30 a. m., 1:30 p. m.; close, 9:30 a. m., 7:30 p. m.

JAMESTOWN—Open, 9:30 p. m.; close, 11:30 a.m.

BLOCK ISLAND—Open, *11:30 a. m.; close *9 a. m.

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This Morning's News.

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CRIME OF A ROBBER.

William Barrett's Hands Stained With the Blood of a Fellowman.

WESTON, Mass., May 18.—James Farrar, a respected and prominent citizen of South Lincoln, an adjoining farming town, was shot and killed here by a burglar whom he had found in his bedroom at his home and chased to this place. The murderer was captured by a brother of the murdered man, who, with others, was of the pursuing party.

Shortly before 5 o'clock yesterday morning James Farrar, 28 years old, unmarried, and a leading citizen of South Lincoln, was awakened by the presence of a burglar in his room. He started for the intruder, who left by way of a window. Farrar, who was the constable of the town, roused his two brothers and three other men, and together they chased the fleeing man along the country roads.

Farrar and his brother finally succeeded in catching up with him at the Cherry Brook station of the Massachusetts Central railroad in this place. As they came upon the offender, the latter wheeled about and fired three shots from a revolver at the two brothers. One shot took effect in the breast of James, who expired almost immediately. Edward dealt the murderer a terrific blow on the head, and so stunned him that he was easily bound and turned over to the Weston constable. He was taken to Waltham and locked up.

Admitted His Guilt.

He gave the name of William Barrett, and his age as 51 years. He claimed to be a woodturner by trade and to live on Twenty-fifth street, New York city. When searched he was found to have in his possession a complete outfit of burglars' apparatus and a watch, which the police say was stolen from a house in South Lincoln some time last January. He is supposed to be a professional crook, but it is not yet known what record is against him. He is an Englishman, 5ft. 8in. in height, dark complexion, with dark hair and mustache. At first he denied the shooting, but afterward admitted that he was guilty.

James Farrar, the victim of the affair, was a graduate of Andover academy, a member of the South Lincoln school board, an assessor in the town, and a man of property. He was a prosperous farmer.

It was first reported that Barrett had a companion with him when he was found in Farrar's house. Upon this rumor a tramp named Eastwood was arrested upon suspicion, but he denied all knowledge of the tragedy, and the police say they are satisfied that he is not a party to the crime. No one saw a second thief, and the police are inclined to believe Barrett's story that he was alone in his marauding.

The murderer was arraigned in the Waltham court and his case put over for a few days.

ON BEACON HILL.

Employers' Liability---Liquor Licenses and Schoolhouses---Biennial Elections.

BOSTON, May 18.—The house engrossed a bill providing that employers shall be liable to employes for personal injuries caused by the negligence of persons acting, with the employers' consent, as superintendents in the absence of the regular superintendent.

The bill relative to granting licenses to be exercised on premises within 400 feet of schoolhouses was passed to be engrossed, 100 to 59, after the adoption of an amendment by Mr. George of Haverhill, providing that hotels of 25 rooms shall be exempt, and that the 400 feet shall be measured upon the same street and connecting streets instead of in an air line.

The bill providing that any party which at the preceding state election cast for any candidate for a state office a number of votes equal to the number of signatures required for a nomination paper for that office shall be entitled to have the name of the candidate for that office placed on the official ballot was rejected—82 to 92.

The house accepted adverse reports on the petition for legislation regulating demurrage on cases of railroad corporations; also on the order of investigation in relation to the lease of the Connecticut River railroad by the Boston and Maine Railroad company.

The senate resolves providing for amendments to the constitution establishing biennial elections of state officers and members of the general court was rejected.

A bill providing that every Saturday afternoon shall be a legal half holiday and that notes falling due on a holiday or Sunday shall be payable the following business day was rejected.

In the senate the bill to authorize the submission of the question of the establishment of a municipal lighting plant to the voters of a city at a special election was passed to be engrossed.

The East Longmeadow bill was passed to be enacted.

Sprung Aleak and Sunk.

ROCKLAND, Me., May 18.—Schooner Cora Greenwood, Captain Eaton, Deer Isle, while on a fishing voyage sprung aleak near Moore Peak and sunk in a short time. The crew landed at Jonesport.

Finest in the State.

NASHUA, N. H., May 18.—The new First Congregational church, which has just been completed at a cost of $125,000, built of stone, and the finest in the state, was appropriately dedicated last night.

Maine's Oldest Mason Dead.

BIDDEFORD, Me., May 18.—James Larrabee, the oldest Mason in Maine, died at Alfred, aged 89. He had been a member of the Masonic fraternity since 1827.

MODERATOR MUTCHMORE.

Philadelphia Preacher Chosen by the Presbyterian General Assembly.

SARATOGA, May 18.—The 106th general assembly of the Presbyterian church of the United States opened its sessions in the auditorium of the First Presbyterian church, with a sermon by the retiring moderator, Professor Craig of McCormack Theological seminary of Chicago.

Ex-Moderator Young presented the name of Dr. Samuel A. Mutchmore of Philadelphia in a characteristic speech of some length. The nomination was seconded by Dr. Holmes of Pittsburg, who besought the assembly to accept his choice for the sake of the greatest and staunchest of the synods in the church.

The first vote resulted as follows: Total number of votes, 550; necessary to a choice, 276; Brown, 223; Mutchmore, 207; Gardner, 96, and Dinsmore, 24. The names of Gardner and Dinsmore were then withdrawn, and a second vote was taken: It was close. The result, as accepted, was Mutchmore, 281, and Brown, 269. The former was then welcomed to the moderator's chair, and presented with the gavel as a badge of office.

After the introduction of the presiding officer, a few notices completed the program.

In the evening the sacrament was celebrated, Dr. Craig, the ex-moderator, presiding.

A PITCHERS' CONTEST.

Boston Again Beats the Philadelphia Aggregation by a Narrow Margin.

PHILADELPHIA, May 17.—Nichols has always been a stumbling block to the Phillies, and he kept up his record by doing a lot toward winning the game for Boston. Carsey also pitched pretty good ball, and the game was a pitchers' battle. A double play allowed by Umpire Hurst in the sixth caused a lot of kicking, but Hurst was firm and the play went.

Boston	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	—4
Philadelphia	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0—3

Earned runs—Boston, 3; Philadelphia, 2. Base hits—Boston, 9; Philadelphia, 7. Errors—Boston, 1; Philadelphia, 1. Batteries—Nichols and Ryan; Carsey and Clements.

At Brooklyn:

New York	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	2—6
Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1—4

Base hits—New York, 9; Brooklyn, 7. Errors—New York, 4; Brooklyn, 3. Batteries—Rusie and Farrell; Gastright, Kennedy and Kinslow.

At Baltimore:

Baltimore	1	0	1	0	1	4	3	0	—10
Washington	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0—2

Base hits—Baltimore, 13; Washington, 4. Errors—Baltimore, 1; Washington, 4. Batteries—Hawke and Robinson; Petty and Dugdale.

At Worcester—Fall River, 15; Worcester, 13.

At Haverhill—Haverhill, 12; Lewiston, 0.

At Pawtucket—Pawtucket, 4; Brockton, 3.

At Bangor—Bangor, 12; Portland, 6.

DROPPED A MATCH.

Looker-on at a Ball Game Accidentally Started the Big Fire.

BOSTON, May 18.—Fire Marshal Flynn is satisfied beyond doubt that the South End fire was not incendiary work, but the result of carelessness.

The person that beyond any reasonable doubt establishes this fact is the boy whom Colonel Billings said told him that the fire had been set.

The lad's name is James Laskey; he is 14 years of age. His story was a straight one, and satisfied Marshal Flynn that he was telling the truth, and that he was the one to fully explain the origin of the blaze that developed into such a conflagration.

Jimmy said he had "sneaked" into the grounds and was watching the game from beneath the bleachers when he saw a man above him light a cigar and carelessly drop the lighted match to a stringer below. The boy further says that he notified a policeman, who placed a ladder against the fence and watched the blaze for some time before making any effort to have it extinguished.

Organized labor is coming to the fore in the general plans for the relief of the sufferers from the conflagration of Tuesday. The local cigarmakers' union sent out subscription lists last night to be placed in all the cigar factories of the district, and a large sum will doubtless be raised from this source.

Tried to Wreck a Train.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 18.—An attempt was made to wreck the heavy mail train which left Boston last night at 10:15. Between South Framingham and Worcester the train struck an obstruction and was quickly brought to a stop. As the engineer and trainmen ran back to investigate, two shots were fired from the stretch of woods beside the track. It was found that fishplates had been put across the tracks with the evident purpose of wrecking the train. The would-be robbers, after the parting salute from their revolvers, made good their escape into the woods.

Kicking Against a Sky Scraper.

BOSTON, May 18.—The sky scraping stone building shortly to be erected on the old Boston Traveller site is causing the occupants of neighboring buildings considerable anxiety, as they claim the new structure will darken their offices. A syndicate is willing to give Worthington $400,000 for the land, but it is said he would refuse $500,000 for it.

Forty Square Miles of Fire.

PROVIDENCE, May 18.—The big fire in Exeter and East Greenwich is still burning fiercely. The fire has cut a swath 15 miles long and about three miles wide. Besides two fine dwelling houses, Hopkins' mill was destroyed. The lowest estimate places the damage at $50,000. Besides Hopkins' mill two sawmills have been destroyed.

Sprinklers Did Good Work.

BOSTON, May 18.—Another fire in the Roxbury district occurred at the New England Piano company's factory last night. The fire started on the top floor of the big six-story brick building, but was checked by the automatic sprinklers which poured thousands of gallons of water into the building.

Won't Work With Armenians.

WOLFBORO, N. H., May 18.—The 200 employes of Copeland's shoe factory went on strike yesterday. Armenians were imported and took the place of the lasters. As a result all hands went out. The lasters had demanded increased wages.

Gilroy Is Grand Sachem.

NEW YORK, May 18.—The Tammany society yesterday installed as sachems Hugh J. Grant, Police Justice Wlede and County Clerk Purroy. Mayor Gilroy was made grand sachem for one year; J. J. Gorman, father of councils; M. F. Holahan, grand scribe.

An Important Project.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The house committee on railways and canals yesterday voted for appropriations for surveys for a canal to connect the Hudson river and the great lakes, and for one between the Ohio river and Lake Erie.

Captain Bristow's Punishment.

NEW YORK, May 18.—The naval court held to investigate the circumstances attending the stranding of the British steamship Persian Monarch suspended Captain Bristow's certificate for six months from date.

MR. BALFOUR ON BI-METALLISM.

There is a delightful simplicity about the bi-metallic creed as it was expounded by Mr. Balfour at the Mansion House on Wednesday. The soundness of the bi-metallic faith is, he assseverated, to be tested by the answers to three questions, and three questions only. And these questions he propounded thus: "The first question is this: Is bi-metallism, is a double standard, possible? The second question is: Supposing a double standard to be possible, is it just and is it equitable? And the third question is whether, supposing it to be both possible and equitable, is it expedient that we should adopt it?"

With the first of these questions Mr. Balfour dealt in a very summary fashion. There is, he said in effect, one complete and conclusive answer to it; and that is, that the man who does not believe in the possibility of bi-metallism thereby proves himself to be intellectually behind the age. "The general consensus of scientific opinion has now," he asserted, "been thrown into the scale of the double standard, * * * and any man who in the face of that opinion now quotes any of the old taxs about demand and supply making it impossible to fix a ratio between the two metals, or any such doctrines as that the interference of the state to fix prices must necessarily fail—any man who now relies on arguments of that kind to show that the double standard is an impossible expedient does nothing else than write himself down an individual ignorant of the latest scientific developments of political economy." Thus, according to Mr. Balfour, the possibility of bi-metallism is demonstrated to the hilt by the child-like device of dubbing any one who is bold enough to dispute it an ignorant person—a person, as he went on to say, who is "entirely outside the general balance and body of educated opinion," and who, poor soul, "is still helplessly and hopelessly groping among ancient and forgotten fallacies."

Having thus, in a few words, triumphantly disposed of all questions as to the possibility of bi-metallism, Mr. Balfour proceeded, amidst the cheers of his audience, to demonstrate in an equally simple fashion the justice and equity of the double standard. With engaging candor he admitted that "history is full of examples of states which have committed public fraud, and made themselves guilty of public plunder, by interfering with currencies over which they had control." And he further acknowledged that "it is almost impossible—or perhaps quite impossible—to pass any legislation with regard to the monotary standard which shall have some effect or other upon the relations between debtor and creditor, public and private." In spite of all this, however, it would not, he said, be thought "wrong for a state to reform a debased currency, or for a state to substitute hard coin—I think that is an American expression—for an inconvertible paper currency." And, that being so, there can be no wrong in substituting a double for a single standard. There is no injustice or inequity in reforming a bad currency system; the mono-metallic system is a bad system; therefore there is no injustice or inequity involved in the substitution of bi-metallism for mono-metallism. So runs the syllogism which, in Mr. Balfour's opinion, effectually confutes all objections to bi-metallism on the ground of public morality and monetary honesty. And if any one fails to be convinced by such logic, that also must, we presume, be set down to his mental obtuseness.

There remains the third question to which Mr. Balfour addressed himself: "Is bi-metallism expedient?" As to this, we do not know how far he is disposed to press one point he made, viz., that Mr. Liddordale thinks "it is absolutely necessary that the monetary function of silver should be restored if the commerce of the world is to be carried on under healthy conditions and upon a solid and permanent basis." The late governor of the Bank of England is no doubt an able man, but Mr. Balfour can hardly mean that a dictum of his ought to determine our currency and commercial policy. It was, moreover, upon different ground that Mr. Balfour rested his argument as to the expediency of bi-metallism. In these days, he said, such a thing as a self-contained currency system is an impossibility. "There are people who say that all you have to do is to fix on a gold standard, or a silver standard, it may be, and stick to it, and you will have a measure of value not affected by what other nations do, but depending on your own action. Well, what nonsense that is. The value of your standard—be it gold or be it silver—is the plaything of force, over which the nation as a nation has no more control than it has over the winds of Heaven. A new country is opened up with gold mines, or with silver mines, and lo! your whole standard alters in value. A chemist or a mining engineer makes a new discovery, and lo! your standard entirely alters in value and in character. It occurs to one nation that it is necessary for its dignity to have a gold standard, and the whole of your commercial relations are upset. Another nation finds it cannot support by itself the weight of open mints for both metals, and again your whole currency system is upset." What Mr. Balfour means by saying that our currency system has been upset by the causes enumerated, we confess ourselves—possibly from mono-metallic denseness—unable to understand. However, we are presumably to assume that under a bi-metallic system we should cease to be troubled by the discovery of new gold or silver mines, or of new and better processes of taxation, and on that assumption the expediency of bi-metallism is to be taken for granted.

Such is Mr. Balfour's contribution to the bi-metallic discussion. And, seriously, we would ask if it is worthy either of the man or the subject. No doubt it is the kind of speech that may mislead those who, knowing nothing of the merits of the question, are prone to accept as gospel whatever a man of Mr. Balfour's high reputation and position may affirm. He is the last man, however, whom we would have expected to lend himself to a manœuvre of that kind, and we hope he will spare us another such performance.—[London Economist.

BISHOP LITTLEJOHN'S QUARTER CENTENNIAL.

Two quarter centennial celebrations of prominent ecclesiastics have been witnessed in Brooklyn within the past few days. That which marked the completion of twenty-five years of Dr. Talmage's administration, with its tragic ending in fire and flame, has been followed by a day of rejoicing at Garden City and in Brooklyn, which has served to call special attention to the career of Bishop Littlejohn as the official head of the diocese of Long Island.

In fulfilling the numerous and onerous duties which have devolved upon him, the bishop has been singularly successful. No contention has marked his rule. There have been peace and progress throughout the diocese, and each parish has been assisted to healthy growth by wise hints and helpful suggestions from the official head of the church.

During his administration Bishop Littlejohn has witnessed changes more marvelous in their extent than have probably occurred in any other diocese of the country. Garden City has sprung from the previously unoccupied Hempstead plains. The cathedral has been reared, pointing its tall spire heavenward; the see house has been erected, and a splendid school for boys and another for girls have been built, all being a part of the many additions to diocesan instrumentalities during his administration.

The twenty-five years under review have seen steady growth in the many parishes of the Long Island diocese. Take the parish of St. Luke's, in this city, as a striking example. Here an old church, which has been a landmark in the upper part of the city, has been replaced with a magnificent stone edifice which has become the centre of a varied and extensive system of work. The Church of the Messiah, at the corner of Greene and Clermont avenues has been almost rebuilt, and a parish house added which is among the most attractive and complete of any in the country. Such instances of improvement and advancement have been characteristic of the progress of affairs during the quarter of a century that Bishop Littlejohn's wholesome influence has been felt.

The rapid growth of the city, and the constant tendency of the population to push into new districts, have called for great activity in the formation of new parishes and the building of church edifices. Progress in this direction has been amazing. Substantial places of worship now stand where but a few years ago there were corn fields, and the chiming church bells sound forth their call to prayer and praise where but recently the lowing of pastured cattle was heard.

To the sterling qualities of heart and mind possessed by the bishop is to be attributed much of the success which has been achieved. He has not spared himself, but has been instant in season and out of season, visiting even the remote portions of his diocese, advising, encouraging and inspiring the members of many a struggling parish. The residents of Brooklyn, without regard to church affiliations, will wish the good bishop many more years of useful work.—[Brooklyn Standard.

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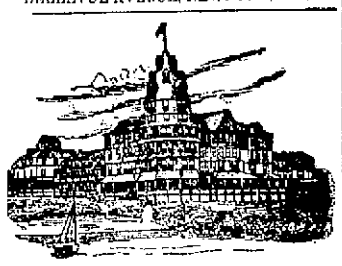

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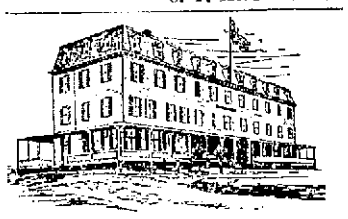

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ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE AFRICAN.

Rev. Royal H. Brown of Kansas City, Missouri, gave a lecture on "The African and his Achievements" at the Union Congregational Church, on Division street, last evening. The lecture covered a wide extent of time, from the days of Nimrod, the grandson of Ham, who built the first kingdom, down through the ages, including the great works of the Babylonians and Egyptians, to the present day, dealing extensively with the introduction of slavery into this country and the part the African took in the war of the Revolution, the war of 1812 and the war of the Rebellion. The speaker commended the African for his unfailing loyalty to the white man in America and to the government which he has supported and defended. The lecture was listened to with a marked degree of interest. At its conclusion there was a sale of refreshments in the vestry of the church. The proceeds will be added to the fund for repairing the church edifice.

COLUMBINE CLUB SOCIAL.

The Columbine Club gave its fourth social in Old Fellows' Hall last evening. As at previous socials by this club, there was a large attendance and a good time generally was enjoyed by the young people present. The floor was under the management of President P. J. Hayes as floor director, assisted by Mr. J. J. Burns, and the aids were Messrs. W. H. Martin, J. F. Smith, J. Mitchell, J. L. Shea and F. Kirby. The committee of arrangements consisted of Messrs. P. J. Hayes, J. J. Burns, J. F. Smith, F. Kirby and J. L. Shea. The Naval Station orchestra furnished music and P. J. Sullivan prompted. This will probably be the last social of the season by this club.

NEW YORK SOCIETY NOTES.

Among the notable dinner parties given Wednesday evening was that of Mr. C. Oliver Iselin at the Hotel Waldorf. Miss Hope Goddard, his fiancee, Mrs. Fernando Yznaga and Mrs. Pierre Lorillard, Jr., made a distinctive group of exceedingly pretty women. The party also included Mrs. William Goddard, Mrs. William Tiffany and Mr. Victor Sorchon.

It is a question now whether Mrs. William Astor will return to America until late in the season. She has been ill of late. That Mrs. Coleman Drayton will be the recipient of social attentions when her period of mourning is over is evinced by the fact that all Mrs. Astor's friends have called upon Mrs. Drayton already.

Miss Consuelo Vanderbilt, who will be one of the belles of next season, has been educated more like a foreigner than an American. Mrs. Willie K. Vanderbilt is the most ambitious and devoted of mothers. Miss Consuelo has received the best educational advantages possible, and has varied accomplishments, but she has been kept in the schoolroom and in the background, receiving the exclusive attention of her mother and teachers. Her debut will be a brilliant event in her life. No anticipatory entertainments will have dulled the keen edge of the pleasure, as is the case with the debuts of many American girls who have a foretaste of society before they enter it.—[New York Evening Telegram.

General James B. Fry, who has been very ill, is rapidly convalescing, and will soon be able to go to Newport, where he and Mrs. Fry will pass the summer. General Fry, like many another man of marked ability, has to pay the penalty of popularity. He has such excellent judgement and is so singularly perspicacious that he gets letters from all over the United States from representatives of the army asking for advice and information.

HOTEL RENAISSANCE.

The lessees of the Hotel Renaissance, formerly the Hotel De Logerot, contemplate making a number of improvements. The cliff side of the open-air dining room will be enclosed by glass in such a way that it can be opened or closed at will. The kitchen is to be enlarged; Sea View avenue, which is private property and which leads to the cottages, is to be macadamized by Captain Cotton, and minor improvements are contemplated. The lower floors of cottages, Nos. 1 and 2 are to be reserved for private dinner parties, and cottages Nos. 3 and 4 are to be rented, the probable tenants being Mrs. George H. Bend and Miss Amy Townsend. The Austro-Hungarian Band will furnish music daily from 1 to 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and from 7 to 10 in the evening. Saturdays and Sundays the concerts will continued one hour later in the evening. Messrs. Murphy and Klein, the lessees, will keep a first-class establishment, and maintain the high reputation which they have acquired in their New York place.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Col. John Hare Powel has returned from New York.

—Mr. E. Y. Mason has taken the house at 83 Spring street.

—Mrs. R. L. Willing is at her cottage on Red Cross avenue.

—Sergeant Scott of the police force, who has been ill, has returned to duty.

—The members of the Swedish Lutheran Church gave an apron and necktie social last evening.

—Miss Alice Hill of Cincinnati, who has been visiting Mrs. O. F. Wilcox, has returned to her home.

—Mr. John C. Whitridge of Baltimore, who owns a cottage at Sandy Point, Portsmouth, is at Hartmann's.

—Mrs. Russell Forsyth, who has rented her Newport cottage, has gone to Pomfret, Conn., for the summer.

—Slot machines have been ordered removed from all places, including the liquor stores and barber shops.

—A. P. Baker has rented for the Misses Sherman the Cornell estate, at 423 Pelham street, to J. H. Mahony, Jr.

—The flag of Rhode Island Lodge of Odd Fellows has been flying nearly all this week, on account of the death of two of its members.

—Simeon Hazard has sold for Constant Smith a cottage and about 4,000 square feet of land, on the southerly side of Sheffield avenue, to J. Sylvia.

—Lord Lovat of England has rented his deer forest at Breudon, Inverness, to Mr. W. K. Vanderbilt, who will shortly hunt there with a large party.

—The Naval Reserve Torpedo Company has invited the Bristol reserves to be its guests on Election Day, and will take care of them during their stay here.

—Mr. George A. Weaver has supplied a Lytho safe to Mr. L. P. Ehrhart. Mr. Weaver is the only dealer in the city having a supply of safes on hand at all times.

—Rev. W. A. Luce of Fall River, formerly of this city, made one of the addresses at the conference of the New England Primitive Methodist churches at Fall River last evening.

—M. A. McCormick has filed an intention to build for Briggs & Co. a storehouse, 40x80 feet, and sixteen feet in height, with a span roof, near the Old Colony railroad tracks, off Marsh street.

—The case of the Garfield Social Club against the Republican Club of Tiverton came up before Judge Baker in the district court at Tiverton yesterday, and was continued for two weeks.

—Ensign Henry E. Parmenter, U. S. N., late of the Pacific Station, and wife are expected here tomorrow. Ensign Parmenter is on a short leave of absence, a portion of which he will spend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jere Parmenter.

—Commander Louis Kingsley, U. S. N., was yesterday detached from duty in the bureau of equipment and ordered to hold himself in readiness for sea service. He will relieve Commander Dickins, as commander of training ship Essex.

—Mr. J. H. Scannevin's catboat Niobrara has been launched, and the season of impromptu races in the harbor is brought near at hand, not alone by this fact but by the number of other craft that are being rapidly put into condition for racing.

—The finishing of the interior decorations and other work on steamer Priscilla is progressing as rapidly as possible, several large gangs of men from out of town being employed. The carpets for the boat have arrived, and the work of laying them in the staterooms has been begun.

—Joshua B. and Susan T. Bacheller have sold to Frederick A. Clarke, 2d., for $500, a lot of land, partly in Newport and partly in Middletown, bounded northerly, 50 feet, on land of John Anderson; easterly, 100 feet, on a court; southerly, 50 feet, on Vernon avenue; and westerly, 100 feet, on land of John Anderson.

—Annie A., widow of William C. Langley, has sold to Walter S. Langley all her right, title and interest in a lot of land, with buildings and other improvements, bounded westerly, 31 feet, on Thames street; southerly, 185½ feet, on Mary street; easterly, 35 feet, on land formerly of James Birckhead; and northerly, 189 feet, on land of Charles F. Frasch.

—Work on the new armory is being rapidly pushed by Contractor McCormick, who will soon have the walls and towers raised to a height which will give a fairly good idea of the building's dimensions and appearance. Yesterday the spile driver began placing spiles for the boathead, but as the work interfered with the landing of sand for the building it was stopped.

—Rev. R. W. Wallace of the United Congregational Church will participate in the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the settlement of Wakefield, Mass., the latter part of the present month. The church in Wakefield of which Mr. Wallace was pastor before coming to Newport, which was established when the town was settled, will also observe its anniversary, and Mr. Wallace will deliver a memorial address at the church on Sunday evening, May 27.

—On April 19 Miss Taylor sailed in the Argentine Republic from Buenos Ayres, where she had been spending the past winter with her brothers, Mr. John William Taylor and Mr. A. O'D. Taylor, Jr., and is expected to arrive in Newport May 29. She will sail by Cunard steamer Lucania from Liverpool tomorrow, having arrived in England from South America two days ago. There are no passenger steamers running direct between the Argentine Republic and the United States.

—The funeral of the late John Hathaway took place yesterday afternoon, and was well attended by friends. Rhode Island Lodge, No. 12, I. O. O. F. and Aquidneck Encampment, of which the deceased was a member, headed by the Newport Band, were in attendance. Rev. E. H. Porter officiated, and the bearers were Dr. V. Mott Francis, John Black and William Allen of the Encampment, and Peleg Fry, Henry Fox and Andrew Sutherland of Rhode Island Lodge.

—The Newport Journal will be ready for mailing this afternoon. The paper will, as usual, contain a very large amount of original matter and the best miscellany of the week. A recent issue, which was but an average one, contained five columns of editorial and fourteen columns of local, beside much sub-local and matter of local favor. The columns of the Journal are each twenty-seven inches long, so that it will readily be seen that the amount of valuable reading for one living away from Newport and not seeing regularly the Daily News, from which the Journal is made up, is very large.

MIDDLETOWN.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

Mr. Corrigan has nearly completed the work of grading the lawns of Mrs. Seth H. Brownell, who is also having a windmill erected and has sunk an artesian well, to supply the place with water. Mrs. Brownell is expected to arrive in a few days.

The Loyal Legion met with Mrs. William Anthony last evening. About fifty persons were present and an enjoyable evening was spent. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson Barker were in town yesterday.

The afternoon service at Holy Cross Chapel on Sunday will begin at 3 o'clock, instead of at 2:30.

PORTSMOUTH.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

Mrs Nelson R. Reed and her two daughters, Misses Clara and Bertha Reed, of Fall River, were in town yesterday, calling on friends.

The ladies' society of the Methodist Episcopal Church met with Mrs. Philip B. Chase Thursday.

Mr. B. F. Medberry of Providence is making his annual business trip to this town and vicinity.

There are a great many anxious watchers for signs of rain about this time, and it is earnestly hoped that some may be seen soon, but it is said that "all signs fail in a dry time." A little fog this morning is better than no moisture, but what is needed is a soaking rain, to wet the ground thoroughly.

Mr. Robert T. S. Allen, Jr., whose serious illness has already been reported, died at his home about 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

WEST GREENWICH'S WOODLAND FIRES.

The woodland fires in West Greenwich were checked and practically stopped by a change of the wind to the southeast yesterday. This shift of wind, aided by the fall in the temperature after sundown, enabled the farmers to check the fire on Rattlesnake hill, near the Exeter line, before night.

From the spot where the fire started, about a mile northwest of Kit's corners, to Perry Hopkins's farm on the southeast, is nearly seven miles. In some places the tract destroyed will reach a width of more than two miles, while in places where the woodlands were flanked on either side with meadows and cleared land it will not exceed a mile. The burned district covers an area of twelve or fourteen square miles, all woodland, and the greater portion of it covered with pine timber, which is rendered totally unfit for the uses to which it is usually put.

The area burned over extends about two miles on either side of the New London turnpike. Nearly four hundred acres of woodland on the farm of Caleb Whitford, and a large tract owned by John and William Rathbone, east of the pike, were burned. Whitford's house caught fire several times, but was saved by the efforts of his neighbors. During the greater part of Tuesday and Tuesday night and Wednesday morning, the entire male population of the western part of West Greenwich, and scores from Exeter, East Greenwich and Coventry, were engaged in fighting the fire. Head fires were set, and ploughing resorted to when practicable. The floodgates of the saw mill dam owned by Clinton Hopkins were opened and the swamp was flooded, this proving one of the most efficacious means of staying the flames.

Two dwelling houses, both tenantless, were destroyed, the old Enos Sweet place, and a house owned by David Howard. The reported burning of Searles Capwell's saw mill was not true, although it was only by the most strenuous exertions that it and the piles of box-boards around it were saved. There were two schoolhouses in the path of the fire, one at Kit's corners and the other in the Nileswood district No. 2. The shrubbery and grass were scorched and burned to within a few feet of each of the buildings, but they escaped unscathed.

The chief sufferers from the fire are ex-Senator Searles Capwell of Coventry, who lost several hundred cords of cord-wood in addition to standing timber destroyed; Clinton Hopkins, Frank Hopkins, Caleb Whitford, Lunt Albro, Amos Sweet, John Howard, William Rathbone and John Rathbone. They, with others, owned the seventy-five hundred acres burned over, and the loss will not be far from $50,000, none of the damage being covered by insurance.

WAKEFIELD'S POSTOFFICE ROBBED.

The usually peaceful town of Wakefield in this state is excited over the successful raid of burglars upon the postoffice yesterday morning. At about 2 o'clock the inhabitants were aroused from their sleep by a heavy explosion, which came from the vicinity of the postoffice. B. F. Robinson, Jr., the postmaster, who lives across the street, thought it was a heavy clap of thunder, and thinking it was about to rain heavily went to the windows to close them. Looking through the shutters he saw three men in the street near the office. This is a decidedly unusual occurrence at that hour of the night, and he at once surmised that something was wrong. He shouted to the men, asking them what they were doing, and they immediately took to their heels, firing several shots from a revolver as they ran. Mr. Robinson immediately dressed and began an investigation. He found the postoffice and store full of smoke and the large safe a wreck. The safe and store had been ransacked, and a quantity of valuables, including $5,000 in securities owned by Mr. Robinson and $1,400 worth of stamps, taken from the safe, with everything of value from the store. The neighbors, who had been aroused by the explosion, at once started in pursuit of the burglars, but their search was unavailing.

The circumstances connected with the burglary are similar to the plans pursued by the robbers who entered and ransacked the Rocky Brook postoffice a short time ago. It is thought, however, that the two burglaries were performed by separate gangs.

The officers are hard at work on the case, but as yet have secured absolutely no clue. The men in running away started in the direction of Kingston. The report that the mysterious sloop, referred to in connection with robberies along the Sound, had anchored off Narragansett Pier Wednesday, was untrue. No such vessel has been seen at the Pier.

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